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HOTEL CLERK GONE; $300 ALSO VANISHES

MAY HAVE FOLLOWED AFFINITY TO ZANESVILLE, OHIO.

JOHN TIMP OF THAT OPINION

George Smith Was Also Infatuated With Mrs. LaMay's Daughter and May Be in Freeport.

Asking the bartender to watch the office for him a few minutes while he went up town, George Smith, clerk at the American House on Pearl street last evening vanished. Three hundred dollars in bills belonging to John Timp, proprietor of the hotel, also disappeared. Smith is alleged to have opened the safe in the office, awaiting the chance, and with the aid of the key that was hanging near the desk, opened the money drawer and took about $300 in bills, leaving a quantity of silver still in the box, probably to avert discovery.

Proprietor Timp, of the hotel, stated this morning that he left with the money about 9 o'clock.

"I left the hotel about 8:30 o'clock, going up town, and when I returned at 10:30 o'clock Smith was gone. I asked August Sleiman, the bartender, where Smith was and he said he had gone up town for a few minutes and would be back. I thought nothing more of it until about 11:30 when my son came home and made up the cash. He discovered the loss, and we immediately notified the police and telegraphed to a number of stations along the road.

"The place I believe he went to is Zanesville, Ohio. While working here he spent considerable time with the divorced wife of William LaMay and was infatuated with her. She left La Crosse a few days ago, going to Zanesville, Ohio, and I think he followed her. We have notified the authorities there to be on the watch for him. He can be easily apprehended as one of his front teeth was broken off and the small finger on his left hand is off."

Smith has been in the employ of the American house since May 1st, having started work at that time as yard man. Before being employed at the American house he worked at the brick yards on the Mormon Coulee road. He worked at the American house as yard man up to last Saturday and when the night clerk went away on a vacation Smith took his place.

"He seemed to be a conscientious fellow and I did not mistrust him," said Mr. Timp. "I think it was due to his affection for Mrs. LaMay that he left. Frs. LaFay's daughter, whom he was also infatuated with, left a short time ago and went to Freeport, where she is working in a restaurant, and he may have gone there."

Smith was about 22 years old and claimed that his home was in Chicago. He has no relatives, as far as known, in this city.

ARMY OF PYTHIANS TO CAMP IN PARKS

BOSTON, July 31.—The controversy over the Pythian encampment in Franklin Field has been settled on the very eve of the national encampment, and the Knights of Pythias who are coming here this week are assured of ample accommodations.

Judge Bradley, of the Supreme Court, denied a petition of the Harvard Improvement Association for an injunction forbidding the use of the city's parks for this purpose.

The camp will cover nineteen acres accommodating 6,000. It is laid out as regular as principles. This is the first time the experiment has been tried in a big city and the result is being watched with interest.

MURDER, NOT SUICIDE

LEBANON, N. H., July 31.—Until the weapon is found, the family of Mrs. Alma Burnett wife of a Dexter, Iowa, clergyman, refuses to admit that she suicided. The body was found yesterday in a dressing room on the Montreal Express train with a bullet wound over the heart, but the pistol inflicting it was not found.

The suicide theory is upheld by the fact that Mrs. Burnett is recovering from an attack of nervous depression. Her husband and sister-in-law left last night for Dexter with the body.

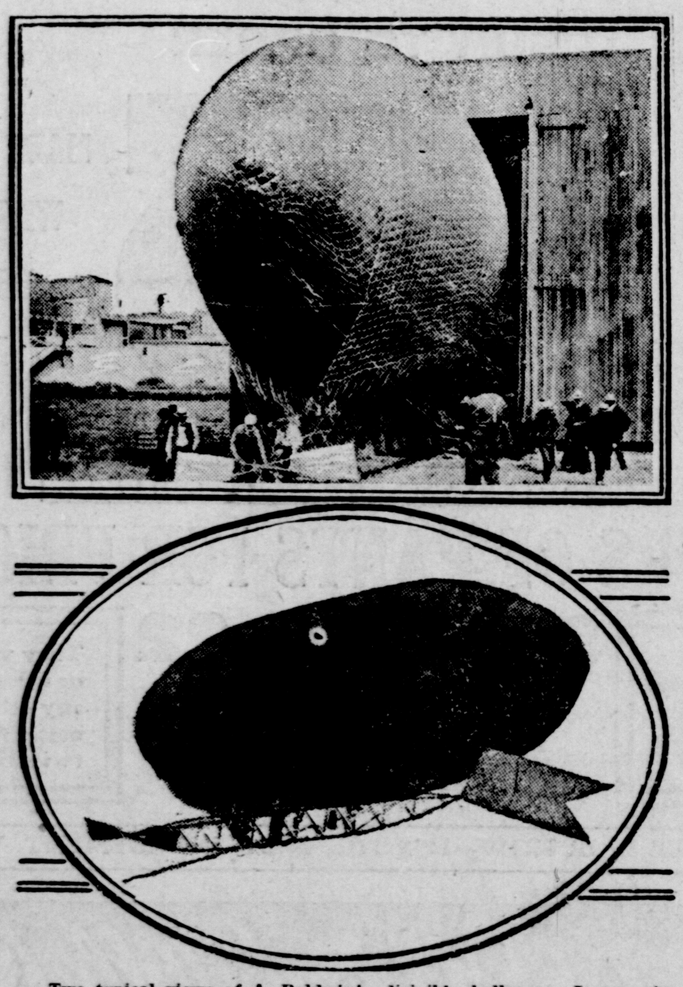
KILLS WOMAN AND SELF

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 31.—Following a quarrel of long standing, said to have grown out of a suit over the dividing line of their property, John Mole, aged 65, today shot Mrs. Susan Stevenson, aged 55, his next door neighbor, and then shot himself. Both are dying.

"BIG STICK" FOR HARRIMAN

CHICAGO, July 31.—Special agents of the government are in Chicago trying to collect evidence to substantiate proceedings for the disruption of the Harriman system of railroads upon the ground that the combination is in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

LANGLEY'S AREOPLANE MAY FIGURE IN FORT MEYER TESTS NEXT WEEK



Two typical views of A. Baldwin's dirigible balloons. Lower view shows it in flight. Upper view shows it leaving its shed at Fort Meyer.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 31.—A semi-tragic chapter in the history of ballooning is related by the tests of aerial craft to be begun at Fort Meyer by the government next week. The interest which these tests has aroused has resulted in the withdrawal of the veil of secrecy maintained by the officials of the Smithsonian institution in connection with the aeroplane built by the late Prof. S. P. Langley.

"If the Wright brothers and A. H. Herring should not succeed in carrying out their contracts with the government it is likely that we will bring out the old Langley machine for the purpose of conducting experiments," said Gen. James Allen, chief signal officer of the army and aeronautical enthusiast, today.

Today, five years after Prof. Langley launched his model, it is recognized that his machine embodies principles not fully understood by the aeronauts of today.

BEAUTIFUL GIRL IS FIEND'S VICTIM

PITTSBURG, July 31.—Kidnaped and held captive for twenty-four hours in a lonely hut, where she was horribly maltreated, beautiful Clara Konter, aged 18, mysteriously returned in dying condition to her home at Shousetown. The girl was found unconscious in her bed after an all-night search for her. Her death is expected soon.

Miss Konter is the daughter of Michael Konter, a prosperous farmer. Monday afternoon the girl left the house to make some purchases in Shousetown. When she failed to return home for supper her parents made fruitless inquiries from house to house. The neighborhood has been infested by tramps recently, and fearing the worst, one hundred farmers scoured the woods all Monday night trying to find some trace of the girl. Early Tuesday they came upon a vacant hut where the girl's handkerchief and several pieces of ribbon were found.

Tuesday, Mrs. Konter, on going to Clara's room, was surprised to find her daughter lying on the bed apparently dead. Since then physicians have been vainly trying to restore her to consciousness. The girl was drugged and assaulted. Today a large force of county detectives and a posse of five hundred angry farmers are scouring the woods for some trace of the assailant.

A 450 LB. VICTIM OF ELEPHANTIASIS

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 31.—Weighing five hundred and forty pounds, Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Lynch is dead at McKeesport today, the victim of elephantiasis. This was the only known case of the disease in the United States and has been attracting the attention of physicians and surgeons all over the world. Nineteen years ago Mrs. Lynch's legs began swelling. At the time of her death the left leg measured eighty-five inches around the calf and the right leg sixty-six. For over ten years she has been unable to move from a specially constructed bed. Physicians say the disease was fatal when it reached the heart.

SLAYS FAMILY AND SELF IN HOSPITAL

SEATTLE, July 31.—Jesse Fifer, a motorman, his daughter, Hazel, aged 8, and Mrs. Dennis Nihouls are dead and Frs. Fifer is dying today as the result of a sensational double murder and suicide which took place in Seattle hospital late last night.

Fifer, the murderer, slew his daughter, and Mrs. Nihoul, while the child and his mother were visiting Mrs. Nihoul in the hospital ward. He fired several shots into his wife and then suicided. Domestic troubles, culminating in a separation was the cause of the tragedy. A great panic among the hospital patients ensued.

FOLA LA FOLLETTE SUES FOR WAGES AS AN ACTRESS

CHICAGO, July 31.—(Special.)—A motion to set aside an order of adjudication in bankruptcy of the Block Amusement company has been filed in United States district court by Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of United States Senator La Follette of Wisconsin. That she was engaged to play a role in the production that was never staged and as a result of which she failed to receive a weekly stipend of $50 is alleged by her. She wants $1,500 damages. It is claimed the amusement company not only failed to produce the play, but forgot to release Miss La Follette from contract, and the season passed before she was able to obtain other employment.

JEALOUS, HE KILLS BABES AND SELF

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 31.—Leonard Hendricks, aged 31, a brewery worker, today murdered his two daughters, Anna, aged 5, and Lillian, aged 3, and then suicided by taking illuminating gas at his home in Cranston, a suburb. Hendricks was jealous of his wife and when the latter left for Hartford on a visit, he had objected to her making he became despondent and planned the murder and suicide.

RACKLEMANN CREW FALLS FOUL OF FOXY FATE

PIRATES SHANGHAI MR. DERR AND COME TO GRIEF

Flying the Jolly Roger from her bow flagstaff, manned by a motley crew armed cap-a-pie with the angler's weapons, that "long, low, rakish looking craft" known as John Racklemann's motorscow "Braunschwerger" put to sea yesterday on carnage bent, careening with the half-seas-over (mostly aboard her) and well ballasted with an abundance of "bait."

Ah! but 'twas a merry crew that weighed anchor and 2,000 pounds yestermorn, little thinking that e'er came the blight of the noonday sun the finny tribes would be telling mirthfully of a happy catastrophe which erstwhile befell a bunch of bold, bad anglers.

Of all the buccaneers who, history tells, e'er walked a plank or (in the case of Derr) planked a walk, not one was missing from this modern vision of Davy Jones' Hall o' Fame. The personnel of the outfit was:

Kapt. Kidd Racklemann, and
Common pirates:

Mike Hayes, Otto Loefler, John Timp (since frisked by his lackey), Bill Ennison, Billie Tausche, Bill Wendling (these "Bills' are not presidential candidates) and Timp's Man Friday.

As the crew was about to ship in the cold gray dawn of the morning before, Sir Racklemann bethought him that ice to ice the tea was wanted, and the predatory instinct led this gang of salts to Gene Derr's ice house. There they were surprised in their depredations by the doughty Gene himself, and loud was the turmoil thereof. Derr charged the crew, and right valiantly swung and uppercut, but numbers told and soon he lay sprawling in his own sawdust while there floated over the waters the gloating strains of:

"Fifteen men on a dead man's chest,
Yo ho ho, and a bottle o' rum!"

And they shanghaid the doughty Derr, loading him unceremoniously amidship part and parcel of their cargo to his treasured ice. Then did the Braunschweger stand boldly out to sea, and the fateful cruise was on.

Ten miles down the coast the engines bucked. Rachlemann, that merriest old cutthroat of 'em all, was used to it. He expected it, and he smiled contentedly as he turned in for a cozy nap. Although the sky was clear, consternation reigned. Derr was directed to make an examination, and at once fell to investigating Racklemann's condition. Suddenly he shouted:

"Man the pumps!"

"Shut up and let him alone!" shouted Hayes. "Examine the engine, not the captain!"

Meantime the Braunchwager was floating, a hopeless direlict, and at last fell foul of the Isle O' Man, where she lay to silently in the indolent sunshine.

Halloo!

Mike Hayes bawled out lustily, and lo! from the depts of the island lomed up Fatty Fantasl and Spurgeon Palmer.

"What's the row?" inquired he of the avoirdupois.

"Engine's balked," said Gene.

"Nixy," said Spurge, "I hear it throbbing."

"No you don't," declared Ennison, "that's Racklemann snoring."

Anyway, they rigged up a wireless, and in about long enough Fred Clark hove in sight aboard the steam roller "Haymaker," dropping down alongside the Braunschwerger.

"All hands stand by to receive help," shouted Palmer, who had usurped command.

Clark sent his ship's doctor over the side. "Gimme that bottle," was Dr. Winter's first command. He analyzed it and pronounced it good for heated pipes. But it failed to help the engine, and soon Clark ran out a towline and all was made fast by taking a double half-hitch on Racklemann's foot.

On the return voyage the pirates were reduced to the necessity of subsisting on bait, and when a few hours later, in the "shank o' th' evenin'" Capt. Park's rest against a levee telegraph pole was broken by the mutilated and disgusted strains of that inspired melody,

"We're here because we're here,"

he recognized at once that to interfere with the piratical evolutions of so distinguished a mob would be to invite an investigation of himself by the police commission, and so contented himself with responding in shocking-to-harmony consonants with that other appropriate creation of the composer's art:

"Wot t'll do we care,
Wot t'ell do we care!"

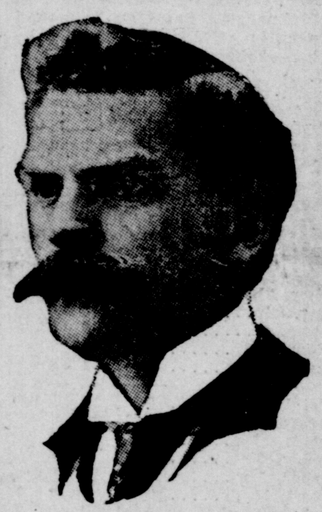
N. B.—The rumor that Racklemann fell overboard and floated could not be verified, but scientists agree that if he did fall overboard, he floated. The story that he lost $13 in a poker game is declared to be a canard, unless when he fell overboard he floated a loan.

CORONER'S JURY TODAY GIVES UP MYSTERY OF HAZEL DREW'S DEATH



HAZEL DREW

TROY, N. Y., July 31.—With the rendering of the coroner's verdict one unknown," it is likely the mystery of the murder of Hazel Drew, whose lifeless body was thrown into Teal pond on the night of July 7th, never will be solved. There is much comment today over the inquest. The coroner himself asked no questions, leaving all to District Attorney. Attorney O'Brien and the latter's "Chesterfieldian" handling of those who were "examined."



JARVIS O'BRIEN
District Attorney of Rensselar County, N. Y., who handled the witnesses in the Drew Murder Case "with kid gloves."

Great Murder Mystery

The story of the death of the Drew girl comprises the most sensational and mysterious murder of recent years, which occurred in Teal's pond in this city, on or about July 7. So far no difinite information has been obtained as to the perpetrator of this crime. The whole affair is shrouded in mystery and seems to baffle the many detectives and officers who are working on the case.

A Day's Story Missing

The whereabouts of Hazel Drew on Monday night, July 6, undoubtedly holds the key to the situation. She stated she was going to New York, but the fact that two parties, whose statements are believed, claim to have seen her on July 7, when she is supposed to have been murdered, precludes the idea of her having gone to New York on Monday. The evening of July 7 Mr. and Mrs. Rollman drove to Averill park over the Taborton road, and at a point about a finding the girl was "killed by a blow on the head inflicted by some

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IS COMPOSER GAHM YOUNG MAYR'S DAD?

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 31.—Frankly admitting that he was actuated by the spirit of revenge, Charles H. Keifer, formerly the pupil and bosom friend of Joseph Gahm, the distinguished Austrian pianist and composer, testified against Mrs. Anna Etta Mayr today in the trial of her suit for a divorce from Walter A. Mayr. The Mayrs were formerly wealthy residents of Chicago.

Mayr charges that Gahm is the father of Mrs. Mayr's child.

Keifer testified that he had seen scores of letters from Mrs. Mayr to Gahm referring to the likeness of "our child" to Gahm. Keifer admitted that he came to Los Angeles from Berlin for the simple reason of revenging himself upon Gahm, whom he claims broke up his home in Omaha.

He further said that Gahm had shown him every letter received by him from Mrs. Mayr and asked him to read them. The attorney said that no man with an ounce of real manhood would do such a thing.

"You don't know Gahm. He is the vainest man on earth," said the witness.

WOODMEN OUT OF FRATERNAL CONGRESS

LINCOLN, Neb., July 31.—The Modern Woodmen of America, the largest fraternal insurance society in point of numbers, has withdrawn from the National Fraternal Congress and an organization perfected to promote legislation favorable to the societies by the state legislatures. Head Consul Talbot at headquarters here today promulgated the notice of withdrawal, saying the congress had asked the legislatures to enact laws fixing mandatory rates of fraternal companies almost on the level of the old line concerns. The Woodmen are unalterably opposed to this plan and will not further affiliate with the congress.

FALLS THREE STORIES

Fred Pappenfuss, residing at 1003 South Tenth street, while working on the improvements at the Listman mill this morning, fell from the scaffolding and was seriously hurt.

DAYTON QUITS COMMAND

VALLEJO, Cal., July 31.—Admiral Dayton relinquished the command of the Pacific fleet to Admiral Swinburn today.

FATAL LANDSLIDE BURIES A VILLAGE

INNSBRUCK, Austria, July 31.—workmen are today recovering the bodies in the ruins of the village of Mehri-Les-Baines which was destroyed by a landslide yesterday. Part of the village lies buried under thousands of tons of earth. Fortunately few residents were in this part of the village when the disaster occurred. A score of people are missing. Twelve bodies have been recovered.

McHUGH AND BEN KEELER TO RUN

County Chairman Doherty today announces James McHugh will be a democratic candidate for county treasurer. B. F. Keeler has reconsidered his former statement and will be thedemocratic candidate for congress from this district.

STRIKE ON LACKAWANNA.

SCRANTON, Pa., July 31.—President Truesdale of the Lackawanna railroad turned down the request of the switchmen's grievance committee for a final interview and a strike seems imminent.

BRYAN TO EXPOSE ANIMUS OF HEARST

WANTED PROMISE OF NEBRASKAN'S SUPPORT IN 1912.

NOTIFICATION PLANS ARE OUT

Affair to be Non-Partisan—Bryan Silent on Gomper's Statement—Secret Plans Laid

LINCOLN, Neb., July 31.—William J. Bryan is expected to make a sensational attack of the motives behind the formation of the Independence party immediately after the notification of his nomination. The nature of the attack is at present closely guarded and is expected to consist of the publication of letters received from Hearst agents during 1904, the preliminary campaign, which show the exact methods that were pursued in corralling the delegates from the south.

He is also expected to indicate that an attempt was made to draw him into a compact whereby in consideration of the independent support this fall he was to support Hearst for the nomination of the democracy in 1912.

When asked about the matter today Bryan positively declined to discuss it. He stated that he is chiefly concerned at the present time drafting the letter and speech of acceptance and until they are out of the way he can not consider in detail other matters.

Ready for Notification

Complete arrangements for the notification of William Jennings Bryan of his nomination for the presidency were given out at Fairview today by the mayor of Lincoln, chairman of the citizens' committee. The notification is to take place on the capitol grounds, in the heart of the city, and will be witnessed by an enormous crowd. It is the desire of the committee that the ceremony shall be strictly non-partisan. Governor Sheldon and the republican state officials are invited and it is announced they will be here if possible. The program follows:

The Program.

Salute—Forty-six guns at sunrise.

10 a. m.—Band concert at Government and Capitol parks.

Noon—Luncheon for the committee of notification, Bryan-Kern.

1:30 p. m.—Committee accompanied by Bryan and Kern, headed by brass band, parades in carriages from Lincoln hotel to capitol grounds.

2 p. m.—Notification speech by Congressman Clayton, chairman of the Denver convention. Response by Bryan and brief address by Kern.

4:30—Informal reception by Bryan and Kern and committee to visitors in capitol.

6:30 p. m.—Dinner to committee on lawn at Fairview.

Silence on Gompers.

Bryan today declined to comment "at present" on the statement by Gompers in connection with the attacks on him for his efforts to swing the labor support to Bryan. He is deeply interested in the matter, however, and is expected to discuss it in detail later, as soon as he is in possession of all the facts.

A number of mysterious conferences are in progress between Bryan and his leaders in all parts of the country, and it is reported plans to carry the fight into the enemy's country are being perfected.

Weather and Water



Coolest at La Crosse, 62; warmest, 84; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, 0.

Warmest in the U. S., 106 at Phoenix, Ariz.

The river will continue to fall.

Stage of water at La Crosse, 6.5, a fall of .2; at Prairie du Chien, 7.5, a fall of .4 foot.

Weather forecasts today:

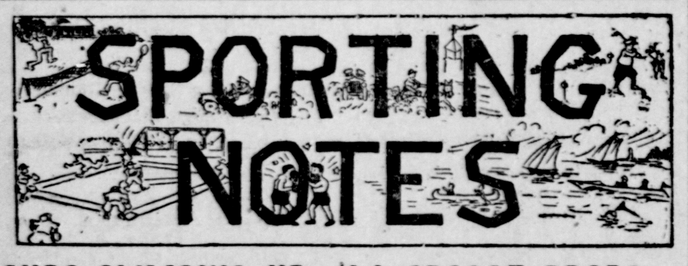
Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Saturday, slightly cooler tonight south and east portions, warmer west portion Saturday.

Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Saturday, warmer Saturday, and west portion tonight.

Iowa—Generally fair tonight and Saturday, cooler tonight extreme southeast portion, warmer Saturday west portion.

S.S.S. A CURE FOR RHEUMATISM

Rheumatism is caused by an excess of uric acid in the blood, which is carried through the circulation to all portions of the system. Every muscle, nerve, bone and joint absorbs the acrid, pain-producing poison, causing aches, inflammation, stiffness and other well known symptoms of the disease. Permanent relief from the pains and discomfort of Rheumatism cannot be expected from the use of liniments, plasters, and other external treatment which does not reach the blood, where the cause is located. Such measures give temporary relief, but in order to cure Rheumatism the uric acid and inflammatory poison must be expelled from the blood. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism because it is a perfect blood purifier. It goes down into the circulation, neutralizes the uric acid and drives it from the blood. S. S. S. expels the irritating, inflammatory matter which is causing the pain, swelling and other discomfort, enriches the weak, sour blood, and permanently cures Rheumatism. In all forms of Rheumatism, whether acute or chronic, S. S. S. will be found a safe, vegetable remedy, possessing the properties needed to cure, and at the same time a medicine that builds up the entire system by its fine tonic effects. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.



CUBS CLIMBING UP IN NATIONAL AGAIN

LA CROSSE DROPS ONE TO MADISON

TAKE TWO FROM BOSTON AND ADVANCE TO SECOND PLACE

SENATORS THEREBY BOOSTED TO SECOND PLACE

WHITE SOX LOSE IN NINTH

ORDER HAWLEY FROM FIELD

Brewers are Crushed by Louisville by Score of 10 to 3—Columbus Defeats Saints 16 to 2

Disputes Decision of List and is Told to Take Bench; Tenth Inning Was a Whirlwind

Games Today
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Milwaukee in Louisville.
St. Paul in Columbus.
Kansas City in Indianapolis.
Minneajolis in Toledo.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Washington in Chicago.
Philadelphia in St. Louis.
New York in Cleveland.
Boston in Detroit.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburg in Brooklyn.
Cincinnati in Philadelphia.
Chicago in Boston.
St. Louis in New York.

Yesterday's Results
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Louisville, 10; Milwaukee, 3.
Kansas City, 5; Indianapolis, 3.
Columbus, 16; St. Paul, 2.
Minneapolis, 4; Toledo, 1.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 1.
Washington, 5; Chicago, 4.
Cleveland, 3; New York, 2.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago, 13-6; Boston, 4-3.
Brooklyn, 2; Pittsburg, 0.
Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 0.
New York, 11; St. Louis, 0.

Club Standings
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	6b	43	.598
Louisville	61	44	.581
Columbus	58	47	.552
Toledo	56	46	.549
Minneapolis	53	51	.510
Kansas City	58	57	.457
Milwaukee	48	58	.453
St. Paul	32	72	.308
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Detroit	57	34	.616
St. Louis	55	38	.591
Chicago	51	41	.554
Cleveland	48	43	.527
Philadelphia	44	45	.494
Boston	42	50	.457
Washington	35	54	393
New York	32	59	.352
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Pittsburg	55	36	.604
Chicago	54	36	.600
New York	52	37	.584
Philadelphia	46	40	.535
Cincinnati	48	45	.516
Boston	40	51	.440
Brooklyn	33	55	.375
St. Louis	31	59	.344

The Chicago Cubs batted Boston all over the lot yesterday and administered two crushing defeats. Through their victories they again take the second place in the National league fight. New York defeated the Cardinals by the score of 11 to 0. Konetche got two hits at four times at bat. Brooklyn shut out Pittsburg and the Phillies shut out the Reds.

In the American league Washington defeated the White Sox, Cleveland won from New York in fourteen innings by the score of 3 to 2. Detroit defeated Boston 3 to 2 and Philadelphia lost to the Browns 5 to 1.

Schneiberg was touched up hard by Louisville yesterday the Brewers losing by the score of 10 to 3. Columbus defeated the Saints 16 to 2, Kansas City won from Indianapolis and the Millers defeated Toledo.

National League Games.

At Boston.	R	H	E
Chicago	13	16	0
Boston	4	11	7

Batteries: Reulbach, Frazer, Moran and Marshall; Dorner and Bowerman.

Second game.	R	H	E
Chicago	6	9	0
Boston	3	7	4

Batteries: Ffeister, Overall and Moran; McCarthy, Ferguson and Smith.

At Brooklyn.	R	H	E
Pittsburg	0	6	1
Brooklyn	2	8	0

Batteries: Young, Leever and Gibson; Bell and Bergen.

Letcher, rf 0 3 4 1 0
Whitmore, 1b 2 3 10 0 0
Mee, 2b 0 1 1 2 0
Armstrong, 3b 0 1 1 2 0
Cook, ss 0 1 2 2 2
Smith, c 0 0 11 2 0
Shaw, p 0 1 0 5 0

Totals 4 11 30 15 2

La Crosse—	R	H	P	A	E
Duchien, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Bond, 2b	1	1	3	1	0
Becker, ss	1	0	0	2	0
Safford, cf	0	0	5	0	0
Bues, 3b	1	1	1	2	0
Harmes, c	0	1	6	1	1
Tracey, 1b	0	2	9	0	1
Graves, lf	0	0	4	0	0
Jones, p	0	2	0	5	0
Eberly, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	8*20	11	2	

*Two out when winning run was made.

Madison .....1001000002—4
La Crosse .....0000020001—3

Summary: Stolen bases—Letcher, Mee, 2. Two-base hits—Liese, Shaw, Whitmore 2, Letcher, Armstrong, Tracey 2, Jones. Home run—Bond. Sacrifice hits—Howell, Letcher, Whitmore, Duchien, Bond. Struck ont—By Shaw, 8; by Jones, 4. Bases on balls—Off Shaw, 5; off Jones, 3. Hit by pitcher—By Shaw, Graves. Time—1:55. Umpire—List.

Wausau, 4; Oshkosh, 1

WAUSAU, Wis., July 31.—Wausau won a game yesterday, outhitting and outfielding the visitors. Score:

Wausau—	R	H	P	A	E
Beumiller, ss	0	0	3	5	0
Gardner, 2b	1	1	1	4	0
Brady, 1b	0	1	14	1	0
Fox, 3b	0	1	0	3	0
Erickson, c	0	1	4	2	0
Papenfuss, rf	0	1	2	0	0
Lang, lf	0	0	1	0	0
Dooner, p	1	0	0	3	0
Totals	4	8	27	18	0

Oshkosh—	R	H	P	A	E
Bauer, cf	0	0	2	1	0
Warren, c	1	1	5	1	0
Dolan, 3b	0	1	1	2	1
Curtis, 1b	0	0	10	1	0
Nickols, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, lf	0	1	2	0	0
Anklam, 2b	0	0	1	2	0
Groh, ss	0	0	3	4	1
Pinkney, p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	1	4	24	14	2

Wausau .....00200011*—4
Oshkosh .....000010000—1

Summary: Two-base hit—Dolan. Sacrifice hits—Beumiller 2, Bauer, Warren. Struck out—By Dooner, 3; by Pinkney, 4. Bases on balls—Off Dooner, 4; off Pinkney, 3. Hit by pitcher—Johnson. Umpire—Hoffman.

Rockford, 6; Freeport, 3

ROCKFORD, Ill., July 31.—Rockford won by superior batting, a spurt in the fifth inning turning the trick. Score:

Freeport.	R	H	P	A	E
Ireland, lf	1	0	2	0	1
Harrod, 3b	1	0	0	0	0
Fiske, ss	0	0	1	2	0
Disch, rf	0	1	3	0	0
Barlow, 1b	1	1	5	0	0
Rouse, cf	0	1	3	0	0
Lannon, c	0	0	8	0	0
Sch'ven, 2b	0	1	1	3	0
Scott, p	0	1	1	0	1
Totals	3	5	24	5	2

Rockford.	R	H	P	A	E
Kaphan, cf	2	3	3	0	0
O'Leary, 3b	2	1	1	6	0
Butcher, 1b	0	1	10	0	0
Zackert, lf	0	0	4	0	0
Rorabaugh, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Harris, 2b	0	0	2	2	0
Wallace, ss	1	0	3	5	1
Moore, c	1	2	3	2	0
Green, p	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	6	8	27	17	1

Freeport .....002001000—3
Rockford .....20003100*—6

Summary—Bases on balls—Off Scott, 3; off Green, 3. Struck out—By Scott, 8; by Green, 2. Hit by pitcher—By Scott, 1. Stolen bases—Ireland, Barley, Kaphan, Moore. Time—1:59. Umpire—Conley.

Fond du Lac, 2; Green Bay, 1.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 31.—Kutina's home run in the fourth, scoring Watson from first base, won the game yesterday for the Cubs. Score:

Fond du Lac.	R	H	P	A	E
Watson, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Lynch, ss	0	0	2	0	0
Kutina, 1b	1	1	7	0	1
Schaub, lf	0	0	3	0	0
McDonald, 3b	0	0	3	1	0
Hutten, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Stang, c	0	0	6	1	0
Rawley, p	0	0	1	7	0
Totals	2	3	27	12	2

Green Bay.	R	H	P	A	E
Boyle, 2b	0	0	0	2	0
Carroll, cf	0	0	2	1	1
Stickney, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Kernan, lf	0	0	3	0	0
McAuley, 1b	0	2	7	1	0
Hammond, ss	1	1	2	0	0
Saxe, 3b	0	0	0	1	0
Johnson, c	0	0	8	0	0
Miller, p	0	1	1	3	0
*Stremmel	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	1	6	24	8	1

*Batted for Miller in ninth.

Fond du Lac .....00020000*—2
Green Bay .....000000001—1

Summary—Two base hit—Wisser. Home run—Kutina. Sacrifice hits—Hammond, Lynch. Base on balls—Off Rawley, 2. Struck out—By Rawley, 6; by Miller, 8. Double play—Carroll to Hammond. Time—1:55. Umpire—O'Rourke.

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At Philadelphia.	R	H	E
Cincinnati	0	8	4
Philadelphia	5	7	0

Batteries: Dorscher and Schlei; McQuillen and Dooin.

At New York.	R	H	E
St. Louis	0	9	3
New York	11	17	0

Batteries: Karger and Bliss; McGinnity, Bresnahan and Needham.

American League Games.

At Chicago.	R	H	E
Washington	5	13	1
Chicago	4	6	1

Batteries: Tannehill, Hughes and Street; White, Walsh and Sullivan.

At Cleveland.	R	H	E
New York 10001000000000	2	11	1
Cleveland 00002000000001	3	13	0

Batteries: Orth and Blair; Berger and Bemis.

At Detroit.	R	H	E
Boston	2	9	3
Detroit	3	13	1

Batteries: Young and Criger; Killian and Schmidt.

At St. Louis.	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	5	1
St. Louis	5	7	1

Batteries: Dygert and Smith; Howell and Spencer.

American Association Games.

At Louisville.	R	H	E
Loiusville	10	16	2
Milwaukee	3	7	2

Batteries: Halla, Poole and Hughes; Schneiberg, Curtis and Beville.

At Columbus.	R	H	E
Columbus	16	14	0
St. Paul	3	8	8

Batteries: Taylor, Harris and James; Leroy, Donelavy and Runkle.

At Indianapolis.	R	H	E
Kansas City	5	9	3
Indianapolis	3	3	4

Batteries: Essicks and Sullivan; Durham and Livingston.

At Toledo.	R	H	E
Toledo	1	9	5
Minneapolis	4	15	0

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MATTICKS SOLD TO COMISKEY FOR $2,500



PUEBLO, Col., July 31.—Walter, popularly known as "Chink" Matticks, one of the most sensational players of the Western league this season, has been sold to Comiskey, of the Chicago Americans for $2,500 in cold cash. While the deal has already been made and the cash delivered. Matticks will not join the White Sox until September 14, the close of the Western league season.

This is the best deal and the nicest pickup of the Pueblo club in the history of the game here. Matticks was purchased from the Oskaloosa club of the Iowa league at the opening of the season for $200. Too much credit for the deal cannot be given to Manager Patterson as he begged the local director to buy Matticks for months before the final deal was made. Patterson even offered to put up the money himself if Pueblo would not, so sure was he of Mattick's future.

"Chink" Matticks, as he is generally known by the fans and his team-mates, while being a wonderful ball player, is as unassuming as he possibly could be, and his character has done much toward making him so popular here. He always delivers the best that there is in him, whether the team is winning or losing, which means that he delivers the goods at all times. Although a big man he is a fast outfielder and a great batsman. While he is a topnotch player as a fly chaser and a willow wielder, it is his great arm that has attracted attention. In the past four seasons there has never been an arm in the western league equal to that of Matticks. His wonderful throw to the plate, cutting off runs, and assists to bases, making what would seem to be impossible plays, have made him the sensation of the league and has attracted the big league magnates.

Different magnates have been after him for several weeks. Two of the latest bidders were Comiskey and Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics.

About a week ago Comiskey came through with an offer of $2,000 for him, to be delivered at the end of the season, providing that he was in good form at that time. The Peublo directors were not anxious to part with him, however, and held out for $2,500 cash, with no other conditions. They got their money, and it goes without saying that Comiskey got his money's worth, as Matticks will be just as big a sensation in the big leagues in the next season or two.

McCORMICK SEEKS TWO OSHKOSH STARS

Among the promising youngsters in the Wisconsin-Illinois league, who may appear in Brewer uniforms next season are Johnson and Dolan, the crack outfielders of the Oshkosh club. Both men have been playing a great ball for Nichols' team and are ready for graduation into faster company according to competent critics.

Dolan is head and shoulder above any thing in the league when it comes to base running and has been swiping the pill in vicious fashion all season. He is also an excellent fielder, though his strongest points are batting and base running. Johnson is another fast man and is even a better hitter than Dolan. He is also a great little fielder and needs only a short trial with a major league team to become a star.

Last season the Oshkosh club offered to sell Dolan to the Milwaukee management, but their price was so high President Havenor would not consider the proposition. It is said, however, that McCormick is anxious to get the men and they may be drafted.

A Grateful Concession

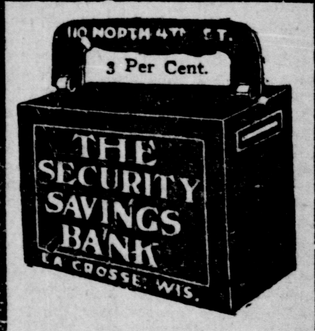
The Reporter—My dear, I'm going to try to tell you the story of my great love for you. I'm afraid I can't find words properly to express my feeling, but—"

The Society Editor (interrupting)—You may boil it down to a stickful, George.—Brooklyn Life.

Blessing Free

"And will you give us your blessing?" asked the eloping bride, returning to the parental roof.

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3—Wed	6,390	18—Thurs	6,391
4—Thurs	6,380	19—Fri	6,396
5—Fri	6,380	20—Sat	6,387
6—Sat	6,420	21—Sunday	
7—Sunday		22—Mon	6,384
8—Mon	6,379	23—Tues	6,381
9—Tues	6,385	24—Wed	6,409
10—Wed	6,376	25—Thurs	6,407
11—Thurs	6,371	26—Fri	6,377
12—Fri	6,409	27—Sat	6,406
13—Sat	6,407	28—Sunday	
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WHAT "IKE" SAYS OF "IKE."

The Free Press, "Uncle Ike" Stephenson's newspaper, in an editorial headed, "The Wisconsin Idea," warns the country that, "There will be the same effort in the country that there has been in Wisconsin to weaken this (progressive) movement * * * * by seeking to create distrust of those who have been its active and sincere supporters." By "those who have been its sincere supporters" the Free Press means its owner, Senator Isaac, but it wades through a column of stuff about Taft before cautiously edging up to the subject with the hazard that, "Mr. Stephenson was one of the first to identify himself with the reform movement in politics in Wisconsin," and "has the confidence" of President Roosevelt and "agrees with" Mr. Taft. And then follows a span in which the flowery editorial writer whom "Uncle Ike" hires to write about him writes glowing eulogies at so much per week with two weeks off annually on full pay and one vote which he will probably cast against Mr. Stephenson.

Perhaps not much space—outside his paid advertising space—should be given to this old party with the young picture, perhaps it would be wiser not to advertise him even by publication of the uncomplimentary truth; perhaps he should be left to the defeat his own broken promise holds for him. But, as the Milwaukee Journal says,

"A golden shower is falling upon Wisconsin. Staring newspaper advertisements costing a great sum of money are used and an army of men is at work that the vanity of one man, 79 years old, may be fed by a seat in the United States Senate. Vital problems press for solution, problems that are trying the keenest intellects backed by the highest integrity. Is this the time to hesitate, to be careless? The United States Senate is the citadel of monopoly and greed. Shall Wisconsin, one of the progressive states, help to strengthen the hold of Aldrich and his trust attorneys in the senate, or will it send aid to La Follette. The choice must be made at the primary Sept. 1."

We cannot escape the fact that, trivial though the candidacy of Stephenson may be in itself, the potentiality for evil that lies in the remote possibility of a badly split party vote causing his nomination makes the matter one of grave concern. Masquerading as a supporter of La Follette and reform, this confessed associate leader of the worst political ring Wisconsin knew in earlier days—until he was kicked out and turned to La Follette for vengeance—who supported Aldrich and opposed La Follette, who said that "that," meaning La Follette, was "all he got for a quarter of a million dollars" spent in the reform fight in this state—this almost octogenarian aspirant for an office for which he is qualified neither by talent or experience, presents a menace to progressive senatorial representation from this great state. For two years we have suffered his negation of La Follette's efforts; for two years he has stultified Badgerdom by rendering incongruous its senatorial delegation. Two years is enough, and enough is plenty. Stephenson is not, as the Free Press implies, an embodiment of the "Wisconsin Idea." Stephenson is the "Stephenson Idea," in the entertainment of which his rights are original and exclusive. Two years ago he was a "virgin" offender; may the kibosh descend upon his ambition to become amenable to the "habitual offender" law of politics.

STRENGTH OF MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

(From the Ottumwa Courier.)

In advocating membership in the National Municipal League for the Multnomah Bar Association of Portland, Ore., Thomas N. Strong spoke for the work accomplished by the league for better government. Said Mr. Strong, who is second vice president of the league:

"Reform takes on different conditions and phases at different stages of its progress. At first the men and women who are engaged in the propaganda necessarily are idealists, theorists. They must have in them the prophetic, tendency and disregard of self that the work requires.

"The second phase of reform work is destructive. It must clear away the evil conditions which obstruct the path of reform. After the destructive work is completed and the way is clear, then must begin constructive operations, and it is curious to observe that this nearly always falls into the hands of a different class of men from the original workers of reform. It also is curious to observe that the practical politicians sometimes are the most effective of the harvest hands of reform.

"For instance, in the great anti-slavery agitation the foundations were laid by idealists of the type of Phillips, Garrison and John Brown, while the destroying and reconstructing elements were represented by men of the type of Lincoln and Grant. In our own day Roosevelt represents a type of the destroying and reconstructing reformer, and curiously enough he condemns the idealist and theorist at the time he is building upon the foundation they have laid for him—without them we never would have heard of Roosevelt.

"The original educational progress may be long or short, but the destructive period is nearly always a short one. The reconstructive phase, however, may and generally does extend into long periods of time. The National Municipal league holds the unique position of having been active both in educational and reconstructive periods of municipal reform, and although its work has been destructive of evil things to some extent, it has been so only incidentally, and it never has been brought into direct fighting contact with evil conditions in any particular city It is therefore, both theoretical and practical and it has done and is doing great service in the work of municipal reform."

WILL FINISH SECOND.

John Mulder is the stalwart candidate of the First Assembly district of La Crosse, and he will have the support of at least part of the stalwarts of the district. However, we doubt if a candidate, the inspiration of whose nomination comes from the able attorney of the Northwestern railroad, can poll the entire vote of the stalwart faction, many of whom are anti-La Follette, rather than pro-railroad voters.

The strength of Mr. Mulder cannot be accurately measured by the fact that in the Ninth ward he could secure but one signer to his petition, and this the signature of the man who circulated the paper at the request of The Man Behind. However, there seems not the slightest danger that the ex-treasurer will get beyond second place in the race, and in this two-entry event it will not be surprising if he gets the distance flag. The people of this county are among the pioneers of the progressive movement in this state, and the reactionary candidate, be he ever so good a fellow, must travel at a speed which assures his overhauling and suppression by the Steam Roller of public opinion. When the starter's pistol is heard John is likely to exclaim, in the language of the turtle that raced the jack rabbit, "Which way did Mac go?"

In the absence of convincing proof to the contrary Judge Taft's denial that he said $1 to $1.25 a day is enough for any workman was unnessary. Fair people will give the candidate credit for humanity and common sense making the expression of such sentiments by him impossible.

Mr. Bryan is not unjustified in his concern over the nomination of the Independence party ticket. Hearst's papers will poll in the neighborhood of a million votes for that ticket, and 85 per cent of them will be democratic votes.

A morning paper is supporting Mr. Mulder; doubtless its evening associate will support Mr. McConnell. Both are owned by one man.

Mr. Gould may find in the clutch of Harriman evidence that, after all, this talk about the "octopus" is not all bosh.

"Nan" Patterson has again starred as a disrupter of families, and even in Pittsburg they think her work is "too coarse."

A London court has laid down the doctrine that a Jew cannot be blackmailed.

THE SPIDER AND THE FLY

(Philadelphia Press.)

In the long warfare between the spider and the fly the latter has had the housewife for its auxiliary and friend. The flies have been tolerated, even fed and nurtured, while the spiders and their webs have been ruthlessly destroyed. This unremitting and unrelenting war against it keeps the spider population down, while the flies increase and multiply by the millions and tens of millions, almost unchecked. The spider is ugly and his web is unsightly in the estimation of most people, but spiders hurt no human creature. They feed on flies, which are the foes of mankind, and do mankind a service.

Knew He Was a Yankee

Once upon a time Supreme Justice Harlan was traveling in Virginia. He stopped at a newly constructed country hotel. The walls of his room had been freshly kalsomined. They shone white as the lamp was lit. But near the head of the bed was a stain. Some one had thrown a quid of tobacco on it and it had stuck.

"If I had that Yankee here who stained that wall I would wring his neck," said the judge, in apparent anger.

"Why, how do you know a Yankee did the trick?" asked a friend.

"How do I know it was a Yankee?" exclaimed the Kentuckian. "Why, can't you see it is fine cut?"

No one in the south chews that kind.—Washington Star.

It is the easiest thing in the world for a bachelor to get engaged to a young widow; all he has to do is give her half a show.

The foolkiller can never enjoy his vacation for wishing that he had brought his gun.

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

In Far-Off Egypt

The Sphinx, when appealed to, just laughed
And said: "You're not lacking in craft!
You want me to tell
Who'll succeed Teddy? Well"—
Then she mentioned a name. Was it Taft?

But there! there's no use of your tryin'
To pump the half-lady-half-lion,
I don't feel that I can
Reveal who'll be the man,
So I'll leave you to guess. Was it Bryan?

—Lippincott's.

He, Too, Had Erred

Capt. Brugulere of the army transport Sherman likes a good story, and although some of the best he tells are on himself he tells them just the same. Here is his latest confession:

The Sherman was at sea, homeward bound, last Thanksgiving day. Some of the soldiers had chipped in and bought a turkey from the commissary and prepared to celebrate the occasion with a feast more elaborate and seasonable than that provided by Uncle Sam. The turkey was stolen over night. It was learned a few days later that a certain fireman had entertained his watch at a turkey supper in the forecastle, and in the course of events the fireman was brought before Capt. Brugulere.

"How about that turkey?" demanded the skipper in his most judicial manner.

"May I see ye alone, sir? I don't like to talk before these people," replied the fireman.

The others withdrew. The fireman carefully closed the door and in a hoarse whisper addressed his commanding officer.

"Cap Brugulere," he said. "d'ye remember when ye was quartermaster on the San Juan?"

"I do," replied the captain.

"D'ye remember that we was shipmates then—that I was donkeyman?"

"I do. What's that got to do with this?"

"Nothin', sir, but I just wanted to ask ye where did ye get them chickens I used to roast for you?"

"You go to thunder!" was what Capt. Brugulere said; it was all he could say. But he bought the soldiers another turkey.—San Francisco Call.

The Robin's Epitaph

The two little granddaughters of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell were showing a new governess their treasures of house and garden. Behind a box-hedge they paused.

"This is the place where our birds are buried," said one of the children.

At the head of a tiny grave was placed a white board. Printed on it in irregular characters, with a lead pencil, were these words:

"Here lie our Robins; one a week old, one only an egg."—Lippincott's.

Must Know More than the Dog

One night as a Canadian doctor who lives in eastern Ontario was driving into a village, he saw a chap, a little the worst for liquor, amusing a crowd of spectators with the antics of his trick dog. The docor watched him a while and said: 'Sandy, how do you manage to train your dog? I can't teach mine to do anything." Sandy, with that simple look in his eyes, said: "Well, you see, Doc, you have to know more'n the dog or you can't learn him nothing."—The Argonaut.

FIERY CASTRO AND THE PLACID DUTCH

It is made clear by the latest Hague dispatches that the Netherlands government will take no hasty or aggressive action against Castro. Those who are anxious to see the Venezuelan dictator "whipped," and who are disposed to think that little Holland is exactly the right instrument of the world justice to perform that salutary operation, will need to exercise some patience.

The cruiser that the Dutch government ordered to Venezuelan waters will merely "protect Dutch interests." True, this phrase is "elastic," but it conceals no sinister intention. The placid and careful Dutch ministers say that they will look into the alleged offense of the expelled minister, De Reus, who is reported as having declared while still at his post at Caracas that Castro had ruined Venezuela. If the Dutch minister really committed this indiscretion, Castro was within his rights in dismissing him, and no issue can be made of the incident, especially since Castro professes friendly sentiments toward Holland.

However, the expulsion of De Reus, ahough it grew out of quarantine regulations and trade disputes between the Dutch possession, the island of Curacao, and Venezuela , is not an integral part of the original difficulty. That difficulty is still to be adjusted, and Holland may be expected to insist on her rights under international law. If Castro remains obdurate and arbitrary, the wished-for "whipping" may take place in the presence of an approving and pleased throng of injured spectators. For Holland cannot be suspected of "designs" on Venezuelan territory or of hostility to the Monroe doctrine, and she will do nothing that can excite suspicion or fear.

In his controversies with the great powers Castro has plainly presumed on his insignificance. Holland could tackle him without the risk of being denounced as a bully and oppressor by the deluded Venezuelans. Her facts might prevail over Castro's mixed metaphors and incoherent eloquence. The developments of the affair will be watched with interest and hope.

THE IRON LORD

A Hitherto Unpublished Story of Immense Power.

By S. R. CROCKETT.

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by the furnace fumes, whereupon, one of the neighboring landlords, having threatened proceedings, Jacob Romer had bought up his property, lock, stock and barrel. This, however, was a mere fringe. It seemed as if the smell of vernal woodlands, of the unwinding croziers of the ferns, of the glades where shy rabbits played and leaped and pattered, were able to form a barrier against the encroachments of the desecrated lower valley, which at the bidding of Incubus & Co. had been given up to smoke and flame and rubbish heaps.

Day followed day, and always at the Glebe End Cottage Vida saw Jacob Romer's horses pass at full speed down the avenue, the wheels making no noise over the elastic carpet of pine needles; then, with a sudden rasp of gravel and the noise of hoofs drumming on hard macadam turning at right angles toward the Incubus Works in the valley.

These were the days when Vic Morris, a disgraced man, was seeking any rest for the sole of his foot, and when Jacob Romer, glad of an outlet for his natural faculty for organization, went and came to Kirktown, sometimes twice in one day. No change had been made in Dick Finnan's position by the departure of Vic Morris. He had, indeed, a greater responsibility than before. Because, in the absence of a regular underground engineer, James Kahn went down every day, and so far as Pit No. 2 was concerned, Dick Finnan, carried out his orders, or modified them according to his liking.

For though Dick only saw Vic for short moments and at long intervals, Phil Calmont came to the Glebe End Cottage every evening in his place. And so far as Dick and the other overseers had any power, they still did the will of Vic Morris. The pity was that their power was so limited. Because it was with grim characteristic energy that Jacob Romer ruled, when at last, weary of tools, he set his own hand to the plough, as in the days of yore.

Of course, Phil was seen coming and going to Glebe Cottage. Everything was public property in Kirktown. Everything commented on. But then Phil had no position. His engineering ambitions were not known. He had always been considered as a worthless character, without ambition, without future—just "yin o' thae Calmonts." If in his folly he added one to Vida Bryan's suitors that was his own lookout. He went to scorch his wings, at his own risk and peril. Yet so far as the workings were concerned it was through him and Dick Finnan that Vic communicated with the pitmen, the gang-foremen, and the lessees of so many cubic feet of extractable ore upon the working-faces.

Vic himself kept away, being certain that his presence at Glebe End would procure the speedy dismissal of Dick Finnan, the end of his own sefulness in the pits, and the expulsion of Vida and Dick out of the pretty cottage at the wood side. Indeed, it was difficult enough to obtain suitable accommodation in a town where all, more or less, were dependent on Incubus, Romer & Co. for daily bread.

Mr. Irongray would gladly have given him shelter. The Cameronian minister was Vic's firm friend, and often the two discoursed together of the things above upon, and under the earth till three in the morning, and the summer sun peeped in reproachfully from all round the study blinds.

But then, again, would such a course be fair to the struggling Cameronian congregation of Kirktown, with the financial burden of whose upkeep its most important member charged himself For Jacob Romer provided more than half the minister's stipend, saw to the repairs on the church, and out of his own pocket recompensed the precentor and beadle. For himself, Benjamin Irongray was quite willing to give up all these advantages. But his session pointed out to him that the congregation was so scanty in numbers that however willing they might be to pay him a living wage, and to carry on the work of the congregation, they were not able—practically the whole of them depending upon Jacob Romer. Therefore, in all probability, the Kirk of the Hill would be shut up. From this decision only on edissented—Richard Finnan, ruling elder—who was willing that he and his minister alike should dare all things in the cause which they accounted righteousness.

But at this juncture there came another offer. Dreamy, detached, his hair cast back in a poetic curve from his broad unwrinkled brow, the Reverend John Fowler, of the Free Valley Kirk, strolled across to Vic's lodgings, where he was under a week's notice to quit.

"I hear you are turned out," he said; "so were we—so was my father, I mean—in the year '43, at the Disruption. I feel for you, Mr. Morris. My friend and yours, Ben—I mean, Mr. Irongray, of the Kirk on the Hill—has told me of your position. If it be your will to enter my my house as a guest, I and my family will feel ourselves honoured!"

"It is true," said Vic Morris, "that at present it would not suit me to quit Kirktown, and that for many reasons. A situation has been proposed to me at the mines of Rio Tinto in Spain. But that will have to wait. I have a feeling that I may be of use here. Sooner or later—and I believe rather sooner than later—the Incubus company will get the fall it is riding for."

"But," he broke off short with a look at his visitor (who sat, his silken hair in a fine disorder, making a sort of halo about his head), "you also have those connected with the works in high place in your congregation—Mr. Hector McKill, is, I think, an elder of yours! Can you afford—"

The Reverend John Fowler sketched a little gesture of carelessness, which, like all that he did with his hands, was beautiful to see. John Fowler, whom Hector McKill called Absolom, could not do an ungraceful action if he had tried. And the beautiful spirit that was in him mated well with the bodily presence which stood him in such excellent stead in the pulpit.

There was some proper pride of the right ghostly sort in the turn of the head with which he answered, "I am minister of the Free Valley Kirk, and the stipend of one hundred and sixty pounds, six shillings, and sixpense which is paid to me comes from the Sustentation Fund of the Church to which I have the honour to belong. That payment will not be affected by a score of Hector McKills, nor yet by the increase or falling off of the free-will offering of my people, concerning which, however, I have little to fear. You are welcome to my house, Mr. Morris, if you will be our guest."

"But I cannot come unless—unless—" And here Vic Morris, man of granite, who could speak before capitalists and kings without disturbing himself, faltered at sight of the steady gaze of the dreamy eyes, the gentle kindness of the mouth—from which, however, dropped, all unexpected, pearls of wit and quiet irony, when after long you came to know the man.

"Unless what!" said the minister, smiling.

"Unless you allow me to pay—let us say—what I pay here, or a little more for the superior accommodation."

John Fowler lifted his hands as if to put that part of the question away once and for all.

"My daughter Janet," he said "does her best. But you will have no superior accommodation. Ours is a poor house of a man with a flock of children to educate and little enough to do it on. Not that I take much to do with that—to my shame be it spoken—I hand over the money to my daughter when it comes in, and there is an end to it. I have no doubt that Janet will tender you the statement of any extra expense to which your presence may put her. But that is between you and her. You will understand that I do not wish to place you under any obligation—"

"You place me under a very great one," declared Vic Morris, "but for you I should have had to leave the place—and any influence which I may have in case of trouble among the men would be greatly marred."

"You are welcome," said John Fowler. "I consider your presence in my house an honour!"

"And Mr. Hector McKill?"

The minister opened out his palms with a movement expressive of infinite scorn.

"He wearies me, this good Mr. McKill," he said. "He does the meanest actions all week, and then on prayer-meeting night he will take up half-an-hour praying for 'the spread of perfect sinlessness among professing Christians.' On Sunday he sends round requests to the vestry that we may sing his favourite paraphrase

"That to perfections sacred heights
We nearer still may rise."

Besides which his wife takes in The Prophetic Herald, and wears my soul into tatters with her "little horns' and her 'time and times' and 'half-a-time.'"

(To be Continued.)

Report of the Financial Condition of the

Batavian National Bank

Located at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, at the Close of Business on the 15th Day of July, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$1,960,467.98
Overdrafts	823.76
U. S. bonds	400,000.00
Other bonds	194,050.47
Banking house and fixtures	60,000.00
5 per cent redemption fund	20,000.00
Cash	235,103.66
Due from banks	468,649.06
	$3,339,094.93

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 400,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	9,179.93
National bank notes outstanding	345,000.00
Deposits	2,478,826.48
Certified checks	1,419.50
Dividends unpaid	625.00
Reserved for taxes	4,044.02
	$3,339,094.93

Report of the Financial Condition of the

STATE BANK OF LA CROSSE

La Crosse, Wis.

At the Close of Business, July 15, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$637,657.60
Overdrafts		1,087.33
U. S. and other bonds and securities		73,974.50
Banking house and fixtures		8,000.00
In reserve banks	$200,695.93	
Cash in vault	86,871.82	
		287,567.75
Total		$1,008,287.18

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	6,514.97
Deposits	901,772.21
Total	$1,008,287.18

THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE

JULY 15th 1908

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts		$2,642,131.91
Overdrafts		991.95
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		250,000.00
Other bonds		336,500.00
Banking house		50,000.00
Other real estate		100.00
CASH RESOURCES:		
N. Y. City bonds to secure U. S. deposits	$ 58,000.00	
With banks	657,622.16	
With treasurer U. S.	12,500.00	
In vaults	230,590.59	
		958,712.75
Total		$4,238,436.61

LIABILITIES:

Capital	$ 250,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Undivided profits	55,305.63
Reserved for taxes	5,000.00
Circulation	250,000.00
Deposits	3,428,130.98
Total	$4,238,436.61

UNITED STATES DEPOSITARY.

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

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Soap that does is cheap. Soap that does not, is dear.

P. & G. Naphtha Soap DOES THE WORK.

A five cent cake of P. & G. Naphtha Soap will last longer and do more work than two bars of ordinary laundry soap, costing, say, 3½ cents each; or three bars of cheap soap costing 2½ cents apiece.

P. & G. Naphtha Soap is the cheapest soap you can buy—because it is the best value.

It saves time; and time is money.

It saves labor; and labor is worth money.

It saves clothes; and clothes cost money.

The naphtha in it LOOSENS the dirt; the soap CLEANSES.

P. & G. Naphtha Soap is so much better than any other laundry soap that it is worth your while to go ten blocks out of your way to get it.

But it is not necessary to do that—it is almost a certainty that your grocer sells it.

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35c bottle Mapeline for 28c
6 bars Fel's Naphtha Soap..25c
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Brick cheese 12c
50c bottle Liquid Veneer ...38c
Red Alaska Salmon 12c
Cider vinegar 23c
Egg-O-See 8c
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CHILD OF D. L. WARTINBEE DIES

The infant son of D. L. Wartinbee died last evening at 7 o'clock from blood poisoning. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 1332 Charles street, with Rev. Randall officiating. The interment will be made in the Oak Grove cemetery with Sletten in charge.

HORSE STRICKEN BY THE HEAT

A horse owned by the Arctic Ice and Fuel company droped dead yesterday on the north side. The animal which was a valuable one, was overcome by the heat and fell over while hitched to the wagon.

Mr. Roscoe Gould has been promoted to ticket agent at Crawford.

TROW MILL TO BEGIN SAWING

RESUME OPERATIONS ON NORTH SIDE NEXT TUESDAY

2,000,000 FEET OF LOGS

Last of the Old Saw Mills Will Run a Short Time This Summer and Close Permanently

The Trow mill, the last of the saw mills of this city, will commence operations next Tuesday for the last time. The mill has about 2,000,000 feet of logs, that were taken up by the government boat, Henry Bosse, in the work of clearing the channel and others that have been brought down from Black river. None of the logs were taken from the Chippewa or other tributaries of Black river.

The present season will be the last beyond a doubt and there will be no more saw milling on the north side. The old regime of the saw mills and lumbering is past and La Crosse will in a few months be a saw mill town no longer.

The present cut will last about a month and a half. After Trow's mill shuts down for the final cut the lumbering periods as far as La Crosse is concerned will go down into history, and the days of the saw mill, lumberjack and logging will be memories.

Trow's mill is the last of the big La Crosse mills. It was started in 1888. A number of La Crosse lumber companies have moved west or south, wherever there is timber land and if the company continues it will undoubtedly have to follow the example set by the old mills, that made this part of the country famous.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Miss Mattie Sern and Miss Anna Davidson of Onalaska left for a week's visit with friends at Winona.

Mrs. J. C. Dean left for Chicago, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Pat Ward has returned from a visit with her parents at Langdon.

Mrs. Frank Wall has returned from St. Paul, where she has been visiting.

Miss Clarabel Farnham of Fenimore is visiting at the home of Frank Farnham for a few days.

Miss Catherine Allen has returned to her home in McGregor, after visiting at the home of H. V. Schneider for a week.

Mrs. George Marvin entertained a number of ladies in honor of her sister, Mrs. Omar Dawson of Chicago, who is visiting her for a couple of weeks.

Miss Carrie Harland of Wilton is visiting at the home of J. LaRue of Gillette for a few days.

Mrs. H. J. Partridge's Sunday school class will leave tomorrow for a two weeks' camp at the Watterson cottage.

Miss Agnes Webster returned to Aberdeen, S. D., accompanied by her aunt, Miss Agnes, who will remain there for some time.

The B. Y.P. U. club of the Tabernacle Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. F. C. Lampman last evening. About forty were present.

Maude Miller is visiting friends at Cadot for a few days.

The official board of the Caledonia street M. E. church gave an ice cream social in the church parlors last evening. There was a large number present.

Mrs. J. LaRue will give a launch party tomorrow in honor of her guests, Miss Carrie Harland and Miss May Hayward of Wilton.

Mrs. A. L. Rhodes of Sparta is visiting her mother, Mrs. ohnson of Caledonia street.

Fisses Eva and Alice Cambellick will leave tomorrow ror a visit with friends at St. Paul.

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LITTLE GIRL IS DROWNED IN LAKE

WADES INTO DEEP WATER NEAR STEVES' LIVERY

BODY IS RECOVERED LATER

Father Arrives on the Scene After the Accident; Funeral From Home Tomorrow

While playing in the water with two sisters and one little brother in the lower part of French lake yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock Hilda Thompson, aged 13 years got into deep water and was drowned. She was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of West La Crosse.

The little girl, in company with her sisters and brother, was wading along the shore, and Hilda being the oldest and most daring, waded out into deeper water. The other children cried for help when they saw what had happened and tried to help her, but to no avail.

The Thompson home is about a block from the lake north of the boat livery of J. I. Steves. The children usually played near the water or waded along the shore for amusement, but had never been known to venture so far out.

The search for the body began immediately and it was finally brought to the surface by the brothers of the drowned girl. The current at this place is very strong and had carried the body about 600 feet below the place where the accident occurred.

The father of the girl was at Dakota, Minn., on a fishing trip at the time of the drowning, but a telephone message brought him home soon after the body had been recovered. The little girl besides her father and mother, leaves seven sisters and brothers.

The funeral will be held from the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Vik will officiate and the interment will be made in the Oak Grove cemetery with Sletten in charge.

DID HYDE "SHOOT UP" PEKING HOTEL?

NEW YORK, July 31.—The Japan Advertiser of July 3, which was received in this city today, quotes the Chinese Public Opinion with regard to a Mr. Hyde's actions while in Pekin as follows:

"Our contemporary says that a certain Mr. Hyde, notorious we believe in connection with certain life insurance company scandals, was the chief actor. This individual, who is reputedly a plutocrat but apparently not a gentleman, inflicted his presence upon Peking. He took up his quarters at the Hotel Des Wagon Lits and incidentally flashed around our city in a motor car. It would appear that this did not give him sufficient prominence, for in the hotel he found cause to fire a couple of revolver shots at a couple of coolies, who were carrying out their duties of cleaning up the premises during the night.

"His aim fortunately was such a poor one as to prove harmless to these individuals, but the disturbance was the cause of much annoyance to the other guests in the hotel. Apparently nothing has been done to punish him for his illegal discharge of the firearm."



HON. JOHN H. ATWOOD,

Hon. John H. Atwood, Leavenworth, Kas., a big middle Western Democrat who is prominently mentioned for the chairmanship of the Democratic national committee. It is said that Mr. Atwood is entirely acceptable to Mr. Bryan and certainly he has the active support of hosts of Democrats the country over.

Up to Him—He (in the hammock)—Dare I light my cigar? She (also in the hammock)—Do you wish us to be regarded in that light? HeA cigar? She—A match.

CAMPAIGN WILL BE A PECULIAR ISSUE

LOCAL FIGHTS IN VARIOUS STATES IMPORTANT

REPUBLICAN DIFFICULTIES

In Many States Fear is Felt for Safety of "Made-to-Order Ticket

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 31.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

It has been made apparent to political managers, of both parties, that the national campaign is going to be peculiarly complicated this year with local fights in a number of states. It is too early as yet to determine accurately how these contests will finally affect the national election, but it is certain that in a number of states which are ordinarily overwhelmingly republican alike on national and state affairs, the senatorial fights are developing in a fashion which gives the dominant party much uneasiness.

Expectation of the republican managers that in due time these various rough spots will be smoothed out, and that the strength of the national ticket and organization, and the traditional loyalty of the masses of the party, especially in presidential year, will bring the republicans safely through their difficulties without serious loss in the upper chamber. Despite this optimistic view of the republicans, the democrats claim to set much store by the local republican troubles in a number of states.

Speaking broadly, the republican embarrassments grow out of the activities of vigorous and independently disposed factions in the party, which have been dissatisfied with the course of senators now in service. The La Follette faction in Wisconsin, the Crawford movement in South Dakota and the anti-Long campaign in Kansas are typical of these conditions.

Trouble in Kansas.

Kansas is in the throes of a campaign for the republican senatorial nomination. The state-wide primary will be held August 6, with Senator Chester I. Long and Joseph L. Bristow as the candidates. Senator Long has been criticized for a long time as utterly out of touch with the Kansas spirit. He is declared by his opponents to be an extreme conservative, while Kansas wants to be spoken for by a progressive, if not by a frankly awoved radical. Bristow represents the protesting element. He has made a strong speaking campaign; has kept personalities out of it, and has discussed simply the broad question of what sort of senator Kansas should be entitled to maintain.

Parallel to the Long-Bristow fight has gone the gubernatorial contest between Cyrus Leland and "Bill" Stubbs, for the republican nomination. Leland represents the old-fashioned type, like Long. Stubbs is about the most radical proposition just now on the political stage. He is rich, having made a fortune as a railroad contractor. He knows all about railroads. He knows for instance what most of the lines in Kansas cost, because he had a good deal to do with building a good share of them. He declares they are over-capitalized and under-taxed, and he tells the Kansas people that if he is elected governor he will give the state the benefit of the immense store of accurate information which his experience has brought him. He is a red-hot campaigner, and he and Bristow have been starting prairie fires all over the state.

Kansas peopie have declared recently that if Long and Leland should win in the primary, nobody will be willing to underwrite the republicanism of the state at the November polling. The protest is too vigorous. The independents are in no frame of mind to bear defeat and continue loyally voting the ticket straight. Indications right now seem to favor the nomination of Stubbs and Long—one radical and one conservative. If that takes place the state will present more complications than would be possible anywhere except in Kansas.

The South Dakota independents defeated Senator Kittredge at the primary and nominated Governor Crawford for thes enate, by a very close vote. The Kittridge faction nominated its candidates for the house; and the Kittredge adherents are out with knives for the Crawford legislative candidates. They don't propose to defeat Crawford with a democrat; their plan, it is explained, is simply to prevent election of a senator by pledging enough republican members not to support Crawford, to make election impossible. These members are simply to refuse to vote for anybody for senator. The scheme looks weak, but it indicates the intensity of feeling in the state. That South Dakota could reasonably be regarded as close, on the national question, seems impossible in view of the immense majorities it has given the republicans in recent years; but in 1896 it was extremely close, and the democrats insist that Bryan is stronger than ever in the state.

Illinois has a three-cornered fight for the republican senatorial nomination to succeed Hopkins, which seems likely to result in Hopkins winning against a divided opposition. If he does win, the opposition may do the same thing that is feared in case Long wins in Kansas—refuse to stand hitched.

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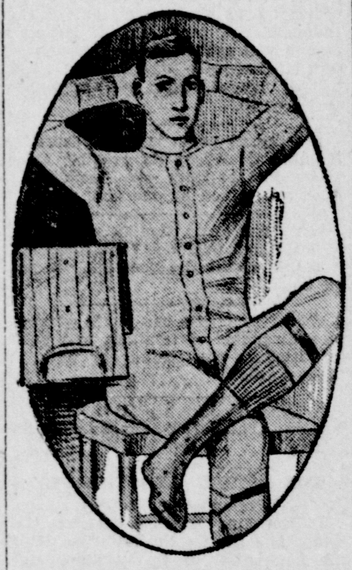
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10 Yards for 89c

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10 Yards for 69c

$100,000 RISK ON TAFT

NEW YORK, July 31.—A Wall street house today took out a policy for $100,000 with Lloyd's of London on the life of Judge William H. Taft to insure them against loss in case of Mr. Taft's death within a year. The rate was 5 per cent.

Going! Going!



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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

BY ROSE TERRILL

Did you know that bathing suits are now being worn in town? You thought it was the directoire dress hat was making the talk? You are right, for no one but the children give any thought to the bathing costume—save a few tired mothers that have reaped the benefit of the discovery. It all came about when a certain ingenious child found she was not going to the lakes for the summer. She dressed herself in her little dark blue serge bathing suit, and with the hose handy for water, a big tub for her lake and plenty of sand to dig in she made a resort of her own that all the little chums found irresistable. There are even some advantages, for as one small girl said:

"See the lovely mud for pies. You can't find a bit of real good mud for baking down at the lake, and if you should, nobody would let you play in it. Here if you get it all over you, why you can just turn the hose on yourself, and you are all ready to go in and dress, and if your bathing suit isn't clean you wriggle it around in the tub a few times and after it is hung up turn the hose on it and let it dry. Isn't that great?"

Bless the babies! They will make themselves happy anywhere if we will only let them and lend a helping hand at the right place. The trouble with most mothers is that they want the child to enjoy the things they like themselves, forgetting that the joy of childhood is that all the world is new and the child's heart is new, too. There's a deal of good to be found in judicious letting alone. That does not mean neglect, but in giving the child a chance to grow naturally. When you place a trellis for a vine you help the vine to get started. Now and then you twist a stray tendril that seems to wish to go wild, but you let the vine do most of its growing in its own way, merely seeing that it has plenty of water and the food it needs. Sometimes you pinch off a shoot that is growing too fast in one direction, and interfering with the symmetry of the plant, but, on the whole, you let it grow as God meant it to. Why not do the same with your child in a measure? The child will do better and you will smooth out a few of those nervous wrinkles in your brow, not to mention a few that are deeper on your heart.

It's a great pity that we can't browse like animals this hot weather, but since we must eat here is a delightful cake that is easy to make, good to look at and delicious to eat:

Ice Cream Cake

One cup sugar, one-half cup butter, one cup water (no milk), two cups of flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder. Mix as for any cake and fold in beaten whites of two eggs last. Flavor with vanilla and bake in two layers. For the filling cream one pound of powdered sugar with one tablespoonful of butter and thin with cream till it will spread smoothly.

The cooky jar is an institution in almost every family where there are children. The only objection to making cookies is that they are hard to bake nicely without burning some while others are a sickly white. If you will turn a large dripping pan upside down, grease the bottom and bake your cookies on it they will brown top and bottom evenly. Try it!

HANG TWO MURDERERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—John Siemsen and Louis Dabner, leader of the gang of "Gas pipe thugs," that have been terrorizing San Francisco for several years, were hanged in the prison yard at San Quentin this morning for the murder of M. Munakata, a Japanese banker, in 1906. The men were sentenced to death June 2. Several vain efforts have since been made to save them. Siemsen and Dabner are believed to have committed many other murders.

ROOSEVELT IN OPEN AIR CAMP.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 31.—President Roosevelt and his son, Kermit, rowed across Cold Springs harbor this afternoon and passed the night in camp in the woods by the shore. They carried rifles and amused themselves for a time at target practice.

Miss Billa North returned to her home in Minneapolis today, accompanier by Miss Susie Kennedy.

POWER FROM DELLS TO MILWAUKEE CITY

MILWAUKEE, July 31.—The Milwaukee Light, Heat and Traction company has closed contracts with the Southern Wisconsin Power company for 8,000 horse power to be furnished from the new dam of the power company in the Wisconsin river at Kilbourn. This power by next spring will operate the western interurban lines of the Milwaukee, Light, Heat and Traction company.

This means a carrying of the electrical power for the city of Milwaukee a distance of about 120 miles.

100 LYNCHERS ARE ARRESTED.

PENSACOLA, Fla., July 31.—More than 100 members of the mob which lynched Lee Shaw in the public square here last night, after storming the jail, were arrested today, and the sheriff declared his intention of sending to prison every member of the mob, two of whom he and his men killed. Several of the score of wounded are dying.

Don'ts For Fat People.

Here are the don'ts for fat folks if they would avoid getting fatter during the lazy months: Don't drink drink water, don't eat rich foods, don't indulge in spirituous liquors, don't eat candy, don't lie in the hammock; in short, don't take it easy or enjoy yourself at all, but keep moving regardless of wilted collars and sopping shirtwaists. Take long walks, eat starchy food, drink little and sleep seven hours or less—no more. If you don't fancy that programme, you can adopt the "Detroit Idea." If reports from the Michigan City be only half true, the "Detroit Idea" is certainly a blessing to the fat. In the first place, it is inexpensive; second, it is perfectly harmless, and third, no dieting is necessary—you can eat what you like. Nevertheless, it takes off the fat without causing wrinkles, at the rate, it is claimed, of a pound a day. Here is the recipe in full: Step over to your druggist and ask for one-half once of Marmola, one-half ounce of Fluid Etxract Cascara Aromatic, and three and one-half ounces of Syrup Simplex. Get the Marmola in the sealed half-ounce package and mix it in with the other two at home, as it is necessary this latter should be fresh to get the best results. Then take one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime until your fat is gone. Simple, isn't it? You can eat, drink and sleep as you please this summer and yet be just as slim as you like without any chance of injury to your health or your lazy bones.

HOW ABOUT YOUR GROCERIES

Do they please you? Are they fresh and pure? Are you sure that you are perfectly satisfied with what you are getting?

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TWO STORES

CHILD SUCCUMBS.

Word has been received in the city of the death of Murial MacDonald, the five-year-old daughter of Clarence and Bertha MacDonald, who are living in Puslinch, Ontario, Canada. She died of diphtheria on the morning of July 27th.

What a woman likes about having her husband take her to a summer resort is the good manners he pretends to have before strangers.

"BUFFALO BILL" COMES AUGUST 19

FAMOUS WILD WEST SHOW IS BOOKED IN LA CROSSE

RETURNS FROM FOREIGN TRIP

Many Features Have Been Added Including Famous Indian Battle and Train Robbery

The announcement is made that Buffalo Bill's Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of the world will visit this city on August 19th. coming direct from its opening engagement at Madison Square Garden, New York, where it succeeded in easily convincing the newspapers and public of its increased magnitude and historical merits.

Col. Wm. F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill") has been abroad for the past four years and in that time has shown to the nations of Europe his animated scenes in the early history of his native land. As a universal educator along lines which tell of the conquest of the great west there can be no equal for Buffalo Bill's remarkable exhibition.

His entertainment depicts actual scenes in the reclaiming of vast acres to the uses of civilization; his congress of rough riders demonstrte the usefulness of the horse as a factor in colonizing the boundless plains, and throughout the entire entertainment the onlooker is impressed more vividly than through any book with the hurculean task which confronted the pioneer and plainsman in his task of subduing the redman.

The historical value of Col. Cody's exhibition cannot be under estimated. The legendary tales of the prairies have become so closely associated with actual history, that an entertainment such as Buffalo Bill provides is fraught with more than common interest to both old and young. To the student his assemblage of horsemen from all climes gives a vivid illustration of the costumes and methods of the various nations which are represented. As to the historic elements, the wild west is replete with valuable lessons.

While the congress of rough riders of the world is an essential and engaging factor in the entertainment Col. Cody goes further in his ideas of presenting scenes of western life by reproducing actual occurrences with a scenic investiture which is not alone authentic in its reflection of the locale. but asd immeasurably to the realism of the scenes enacted.

Special features for the present tour of the wild west include "The Battle of Summit Springs" and 'The Great Train Hold-Up," both of which are essentially well suited to Buffalo Bill's exhibit, showing, as they do, two widely varying incidents in the development of the western wilds. Both productions are set in appropriate surroundings and in each instance the care and attention to detail both in the matter of scenery and the persons engaged in the productions have been carefully and historically considered.

"The Battle of Summit Springs" is a reproduction of one of the most thrilling and decisive conflicts known in the annals of Indian warfare and shows Buffalo Bill amid surroundings in which he achieved one of the most noteworthy triumphs in his long career as an Indian fighter, scout, guide and plainsman. It was in this battle that "Tall Bull" was numbered among the merciless redmen who fell before the unerring aim of Col. Cody and it was his scouting and guiding which directed Gen. E. A. Carr and his cavalry to the scene of their victory.

"The Great Train Hold-Up" depicts a scene as typically western as the battle with the Indians, although in the train robbing scene only white men are participants, either as outlaws or as the pursuing and avenging "bandit-hunters of the Union Pacific."

BRICE PRAIRIE, WIS.

The farmers in this vicinity are busy harvesting rye and report excellent yields.

Goret Stellingware lost a valuable horse Tuesday afternoon.

The river is reported to be clear of logs near here, this being the last drive of the season.

A number from here attended the picnic at the fair grounds last Sunday.

Mrs. S. Bright and children are visiting with relatives at Neilsville.

Many an honest man might be otherwise if an opportunity worth while knocked at his door.



PEARL HAZLETON
As Hazel Graft in "The College Boy," La Crosse Theatre Sunday, August 2.

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BIG NEW STORE OPENS TOMORROW

NICHOLSON SCOTT CO. HAS COREN LOCATION.

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Will Open One of the Finest Women's Furnishings Establishment in the State.

The Nicholson Scott Co., which will throw open its doors to the public Saturday morning in the Coren store, is managed by two of the oldest and most experienced men in the ladies' furnishing business in the country. The establishment which they will operate is to be an up-to-date ladies toggery store and will be conducted on modern priciples.

The new store will employ a force of fifteen clerks and Messrs. Nicholson and Scott will conduct the business personally. The firm is incorporated with a capital of $40,000 and is on a firm financial basis. Shipments of new materials and goods are being received daily and an excellent and large stock of great variety is being prepared for buyers. All the old dress goods are being cut out to make room for the new consignments of stock.

Ready-to-wear stuffs will be the chief feature. The latest and finest things in ladies' attire will be handled and all changes in ready-to-wear garments can be made in the alteration department.

Both partners in the new concern are men of wide experience in their line of business and capable of conducting the new house on a business basis. Mr. Nicholson conducted a ladies' furnishing business in Randolph, Vermont, for many years. Mr. Scott was connected with the L. S. Donaldson Company in Minneapolis for sixteen years and did the buying for the firm. He traveled for the Donaldson company and purchased the finest materials with good discrimination at the finest clothing centers in Europe.

GENOA NEWS

Mrs. Fred Morelli and daughter went to Westby Tuesday, the former to consult Dr. Schriner.

Miss Kate Gussetti spent a few days with her niece at La Crosse last week returning home Tuesday.

Miss Augusta Riley went to the St. Francis hospital at La Crosse last Monday where she will take the course as a nurse.

John Riley went to Biroqua Sunday to attend teachers' institute.

John Outcelt of Stoddard visited in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laylan who have been at Stoddard for several weeks returned home yesterday.

Miss Smith from Viroqua who was visiting Mrs. Zyrkoskee and family here has returned to her home at Viroqua.

Clinton Hastings found a very valuable pearl this week .

Miss Josie Beffa and friend who were visiting here returned to their homes at Fountain City last Saturday.

Mr. Mosher of Prairie du Chien is again visiting John Gillette and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Hanson of La Crosse are visiting the latter's parents here.

Mrs. Ed Kimble went to De Soto to consult Dr. Stevens.

Wm. Page has disposed of his farm to John Trussoni.

"U" HAS LARGE NUMBER OF STUDENTS

MADISON, Wis., July 31.—A total enrollment of 1,025 in the University of Wisconsin summer session this year is reported by Prof. G. J. Sellery, director, who has just made his annual statement. This is not only the largest enrollment since the establishment of the summer session ten years ago, but it is also the most widely distributed, showing students from thirty-five states and seven foreign countries. Cuba, Canada, China, England, Germany, Japan and the Philippines sent representatives to the various colleges of the university. The college of letters and science enrolled 469 undergraduates and 262 graduate students, a total of 731, or 80 more than the total enrollment of all colleges in last year's summer session. In the advanced engineering and artisan's courses there were 122 undergraduates and 16 graduates, a total of 138. The college of law enrolled 51; the summer course in surveying 73; the course in shop work 22; and the dairy school 10.

Naturally Wisconsin leads all states with an enrollment of 569, beside 84 in the school of artisans—a total of 653. Illinois is second with 89; Iowa third with 36; Ohio fourth with 28; and Indiana fifth with 25. The enrollment from other states is as follows: Minnesota, 23; Missouri, 21; New York, 17; Michigan, 13; Kentucky and South Dakota, 9 each; Washington, D. C., 7; Nebraska and North Dakota, 6 each; Massachusetts and Texas, 5 each; Colorado, Kansas, Tennessee and Virignia, 4 each; Georgia, Mississippi, Montana, and Utah, 3 each; New Jersey, Rhode Island, South Carolina and Washington, 2 each; Alabama, Louisiana, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Mexico, West Virginia, and Wyoming, 1 each; Idaho, 2.

There were 9 students from the Philippines and 2 more from Cuba. China sent 3, and England, Germany and Canada sent 1 each.

PAINTERS HOLD MEET IN BELOIT

BELOIT, Wis., July 31.—Four hundred delegates from all parts of the state will be in Beloit Aug. 5, 6 and 7 to attend the fourth annual convention of the Master House Painters and Decorators. Among the speakers will be Prof. W. G. Scott of Long Beach, Cal., who until last year was the head paint man with the J. I. Case company of Racine.

On Wednesday evening there will be a reception for the visitors; Thursday afternoon there will be an automobile ride about the city and in the evening a band concert in the city park. Friday afternoon the annual picnic will be held.

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JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

Vice Presidential Candidate of Independence Party.

John Temple Graves, of Georgia, vice presidential candidate, is an orator of marked ability, a lecturer and a writer. Many southern delegates are pushing Mr. Graves for the head of the ticket. He attended the Denver convention, for he is an old time democrat of the south, and it is stated that a strong movement has been on foot at various times to secure Mr. Graves a seat in the United States senate by his democratic friends, but he has refused to run.

WIS. WOMAN IS A SUICIDE

WAUSAUKEE, Wis., July 31.—Mrs. Ned Wilson of Amberg shot and killed herself at that place. Domestic troubles are supposed to have been the cause. Mr. Wilson recently moved to Amberg from Illinois and owns a large sheep ranch near the village.

Seaver—What in the name of all that's laughable makes Swettson look so happy? Weaver—Why, he's just won five pounds on a bet. Seaver—Won five pounds, did he? There's always some brainless idiot ready to part with his harde-arned cash betting on a proposition which any child with brains enough to blow a whistle would know was certain to be beaten. From what consummate ass did Swettson rake in that fiv pounds? Weaver—Why, h—er-r—won it off me.—London Tit-Bits.

A Lancashire tow nboasts the possession of a coal vender who knows some French. He is not very sure of it, but his pride in it is prodigious. Little Gallic phrases keep slipping into his casual speech, and they light it with a quaint charm. As, for instance, when he was asked his prices for coal by a lady customer. "Well, madam," he replied, "if you take it 'a la carte' it's twenty shillings the ton; but if you take it 'cul-ed-sac' it's a shilling extra for the bags."

TED SMITH IS WITH TOLEDO

TOMAH, Wis., July 31.—(Special)—Ted Smith, the southpaw pitcher who played with Eau Claire last season, has signed with the Toledo team for the rest of this season. Elliot, president of the La Crosse association, telephoned to Smith at his home in Tomah and found out that he joined the Toledo team last night. Smith started out with the Sheboygan team but got into a dispute with the rest of the players after he lost a game and quit. He was immediately signed by the manager of the Toledo aggregation. Manager Liebel of the Sheboygan team, after keeping the wires hot for several days, succeeded in landing Charles Peterson, a crack pitcher of the Lake Shore League last season, to take Smith's place.

SAVE DROWNING WOMEN.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., July 31.—Mrs. Thomas Ryan and Miss Laura Hanson narrowly escaped drowning while bathing in Glen Loch. They were with difficulty rescued by Miss Pearl Yates, Mrs. Alex Campbell and Roy Wheeler. Miss Hanson was seized with cramps and pulled Mrs. Ryan under the water.

"May I see the lady of the house?" inquired the canvasser. "I'm sorry, but this is teh cook's day out," replied Mr. Wyss. "If you care to see the woman of the house I'll call my wife."

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TO RUSH REFORM WORK

Seven Hundred Thousand People Cheer Monarch as He Goes to His Worship

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 31.—Seven hundred thousand joined in a most remarkable demonstration in the history of the Turkish tmpire, when they cheered and invoked a blessing upon the sultan on the occasion of his first public appearance since the granting of a constitution.

Disregarding advisers, who were fearful of the excited state of the popular mind, th sultan attended a religious ceremony at Selambic. His appearance on the street was the signal for a tremendous outburst of approval. The sultan was completely overcome by the fervor of the reception. He attempted to reply to the calls of the assemblage but his voice failed and he broke down and cried.

The trip to and from Selambic was without the semblance of an unfriendly demonstration. The ovation strengthened the sultan's determination to effect reforms as speedily as possible.

Refugees Glad

NEW YORK, July 31.—Proclamations announcing that the sultan of Turkey had granted general amnesty to all political fugitives in this country were placed in front of the Armenian and Syrian newspaper offices on Washington street shortly after noon yesterday. The effect was instantaneous. Groups of excited men and women gathered in front of the bulletin boards and they hurried away spreading the good news far and wide.

LOCAL PEOPLE SAW DROWNING

Geo. Jacobs and party, composed of Father Kaluza, Father Sluyter, A. Miller and John Miller, while launch riding yesterday afternoon, were eye witnesses of the tragedy in which the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of West La Crosse was drowned.

Mr. Jacobs, in speaking of the affair this morning said:

"We were out in the launch and were headed toward Rice lake. When we passed the place above Steve's boathouse where a number of young children were bathing, we noticed one of the little girls, wearing a red dress, was hanging from the end of the boat and all were shouting to us, and seemingly having a good time. Otherwise than one of our party saying the little girl in red was far out, nathing was thought of the affair. We went on up the lake and when we got to Sokolik's we heard the children calling for help. At first we thought nothing of it, but they kept it up and as we started back down the river to see what was the matter. We got to within about 100 feet of where the children were and saw the head of the little girl in red go down for the last time. We hastened on but could not locate the body. Later we went to Sokolik's and got several other men and with hooks dragged the river. The body was found two hours later."

PINE CREEK, MINN.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Hannenberger, a daughter.

Mr. Thomas Finn and sons attended the saengerfest.

Mrs. Gillespie of St. Paul is visiting James Gilespie of Pine Creek.

Mr. John Finn and sisters, Nannie and Anna Belle, and Margaret and Helen Doyle visited Burrs of Looney Valley Suday.

Mr. John Orr visited at Ed Finn's Sunday.

Miss Olive Webster is home from North Ridge, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Ed Schlabach.

George Kinney of Rose Valley visited at Ed Finn's Sunday.

Mr. Vandevelder and sister, Gertrude, visited at Bolts at Looney Balley.

The farmers of this vicinity are almost through haying and a good crop is reported.

Mr. Thomas Coady and daughter, Mary, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, visited friends in the Valley one day last week.

COCHRANE, WIS.

Miss Cecelia Desmond of Galena, Ill., visited with her brother Frank the past week.

Miss Dora Keil of Alma is visiting with Miss Della Hofer this week.

Miss Helen Nebel is visiting with her parents at Winona, Minn.

Miss Florence Andreas of Waumanda is very low with appendicitis.

Mr. Edgar Keller left again Tuesday afternoon for Buffalo Springs, N. D.

Miss Alvina Knospe is visiting at Minnesota City, Minn.

Mrs. Theo. Averbeck of Minnesota City is visiting relatives here.

HISGEN HITS BRYAN.

SPRINGFIELD, Fass., July 31.—Thomas I. Hisgen, the Independence party's presidential nominee, discredits Bryan's assertion that the mission of the Independents is to help the republicans and injure the democratic cause. He said: "Bryan's wail about the Independence party is just what might be expected of him."

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$100,000 FOR FUTURE EXTENSIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

ANNUAL MEETING IS HELD

Secretary Goodrich of the Phone Company Says New Utilities Law is Not Detrimental

At the annual meeting of the La Crosse Telephone company last night old directors were re-elected and the present management of the company was found satisfactory and continued without change.

Th directors were authorized to prepare for a new $100,000 bond issue to provde for future extensions of the lines and service and to meet necessary requirements.

Reports of the officers received showed the operation of the company entirely satisfactory and Secretary Goodrich said this afternoon that the company which has been oprating under the new public utilities law, finds that the new law as it is applied is not in the least detrimental to the interests of the company.

The La Crosse company contemplates varous extensions and improvements during the coming year, definite announcement of which will be made later.

BURGLAR PEEPS A T SLEEPING WOMAN

The burglar who entered the Arneson home on Sixteenth and Market street seems to be favorably impressed with the community and although he did not succeed in getting more than 75 cents at one haul he seems to be very well satisfied with that amount.

About half an hour after he had entered the Arneson home he was seen in the home of Andrew Boe, 722 South Sixteenth street. He entered through the screen door and proceeded to inspect the lower story of the place. He looked into the bedroom where Mrs. Boe was lying and the latter screamed lustily for her husband, who slept on the second floor. This frightened the burglar away and he left by the route by which he entered.

The marauder is evidently a green hand at the business as his methods are those of an amateur. If caught by the authorities he will probably turn out to be some young fellow of the city who has his brain saturated with dime novel ideas.

MRS. TEAL INDCITED

NEW YORK, July 31.—Mrs. Ben Teal, wife of the theatrical manager, and Harry Mausley, a vrivate detective, were today held by the grand jury at $5,000 bonds, to explain their connection with the Gould divorce case.

MOVEMENT OF BOATS

Up yesterday—Curlew, Kalitas and barge; up today, J. S.

"Your worship," said the lawyer, "I ask the dismissal of my client on the ground that the warrant fails to state that he hit Bill Jones with malicious intent." "This court," replied the country justice, "ain't a graduate of none of your technical schools. I don't care what he hit him with. The p'int is, did he hit him? Proceed."

Our Jewelry Platform

"The best there is at each price, and be absolutely sure of it," and never the shoddy at any price.

There are several ways to buy jewelry—pawnshop, on the street, or across the counters of department stores—all risky.

Some of the most upright sell "the best" and it turns out something else. Didn't do it knowingly; but here's the question to ask yourself: "How long can a store be counted honest that fails to carry out its promises through ignorance?" How long must a man be given to learn his lessons? Whatever the answer, the risk is yours.

Why not trade with Parker and avoid conjecture?

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BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN FOUND TODAY

CORPSE FLOATING IN JO LINN'S SLOUGH

INQUEST ON THIS AFTERNOON

"Lone Fisherman" Discovers Corpse and Police Bring It to This City

The body of an unknown man, probably about 20 or 21 years of age, was discovered at the head of Jo Linn's slough this morning by Jos. Siefert, the "Lone Fisherman."

The body has the appearance of having been in the water for about five or six days. The face was discolored and the legs were drawn up and cramped in a way to indicate death was violent. Whether the man had met his death by drowning, was murdered or whether or not he was some tramp knocked from a train crossing one of the Mississippi bridges is not known.

The police was notified immediately after the find and Detective John Taylor accompanied the party to the spot where the body was located and superintended the towing of the corpse to the city. At the landing the wagon of Miller Brothers, undertakers, was waiting and the body was taken to their establishment immediately. Neither the district attorney or the coroner viewed the remains.

The man wore a pair of overalls, a black shirt and a pair of tan shoes. His hair was dark and he weighed about 180 pounds.

An inquest will be held this afternoon to determine the cause of death. There was nothing on the body that would lead to identification and as nothing has been reported here of a drowning the authorities are at sea as far as identifying the corpse is concerned. This gives rise to the theory, however, that the man is a victim of foul play, or fell from a train into the water.

NOT WIFE'S SLAYER: MARTYR FOR HER

FINNEAPOLIS, July 31.—It is now believed that Mrs. G. R. Raisbeck, wife of the New York millionaire, whose body, together with her husband's, was found in Lake Sylvia, died from a natural cause. Coroner Moffitt today said that the heart of the woman was half full of blood, indicating that her death was due to heart disease. The bruises on the body are thought to have been caused by the body striking on the rocks. Her husband is believed to have drowned while attempting to rescue his wife when she fell overboard following the attack.

NAME BABIES FOR TAFT.

HOT SPRINGS, July 31.—Letters are pouring in apprising the candidate that people are naming their babies Taft. All are certain that the youngsters will be as great as their namesake. One boy was born in iCncinnati the minute Taft spoke.

After disposing of his correspondence today, Taft played golf with Senator Bourne of Oregon.

NEW YORKER KILLED IN AUTO

NEW YORK, July 31.—Alfred Lauterbach, son of Edward Lauterbach, a lawyer and politician, was killed in an automobile accident today. Mr. Lauterbach was about to cross t he tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad when the machine collided with a guard rail.

Some men burst their safety valve in endeavoring to be a power in the world.

RADICAL SENATORS PLAN REAL REVOLT

WILL INSTITUTE FILIBUSTER CO COW OLDER MEMBERS.

LA FOLLETTE TO BE LEADER

"Youngsters" Are to Block All Bills Until "Progressive" Measures Are Passed by Senate.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—From a source that is reliable comes information to the effect that twenty-two of the "progressive" members of the United States senate will lead the most vigorous kind of a revolt against the "conservative" members of that body at the next session of congress.

It will be a filibuster in comparison with which the La Follette filibuster would be counted a tame affair, for it will last throughout the session or until the older members of the senate, the ones who have blocked "progressive" legislation, have removed the obstacles and permitted some of the changes that are demanded by the insurgents.

Want Bristow Elected.

Senator La Follette and Senator Beveridge will be at the head of this movement. It will have the support of Senator Brown of Nebraska, Senator Borah of Idaho and others to the alleged number of twenty-two. The "progressives" are hopeing that Joseph L. Bristow will defeat Senator Long in Kansas, in which event they will have Bristow with them. They are also countng upon the election of Folk or Missouri, and it is said that Folk would be willing to lead the democratic senators in opposing every wish of the senate 'ring" until the latter is willing to concede the passage of the desired measures.

The fight will be fierce and will start early. Appropriation bills will be "held up" and laws personally desired by members of the upper branch of the national legislature will be blocked until the "conservatives" come to time. The offcial records of the "trust" senators will be uncovered by these younger and fighting members of the senate. They will show how some public records do not conform to the demands made by constituents and they will try to make it so hot for the members who are said to control the senate that they will be glad to come into line or at least offer no objection to proposed legislation.

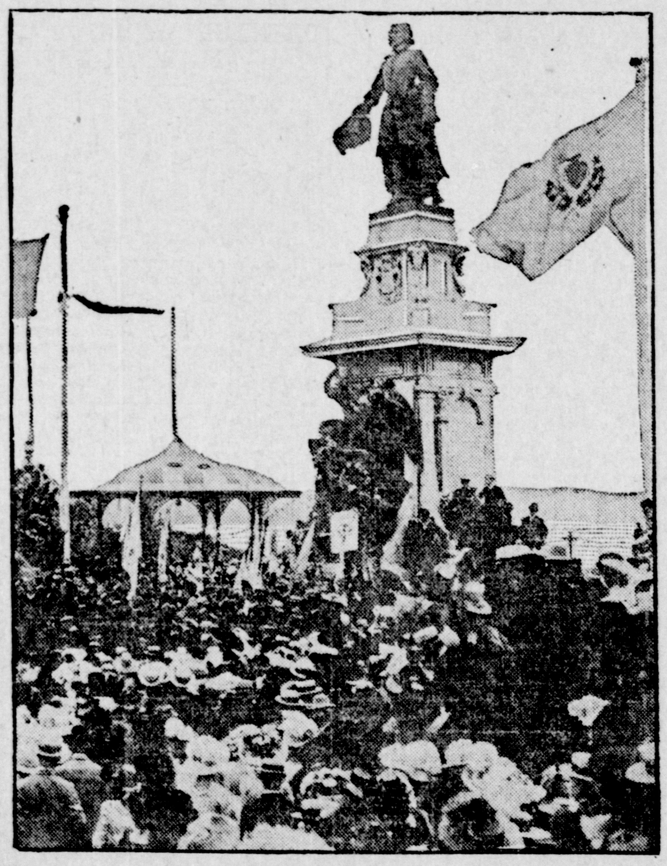
The "progressive' will demand the repeal of the Aldrich-Vreeland currency bill, they will demand the assessment of railroads according to physical valuation, they will ask the election of senators by direct vote of the people and they will seek the enactment of stronger anti-trust legislation. And it is possible that they will demand a law providing for the guaranteeing of bank deposits, for Senator Brown and other western republicans are making no secret of the fact that they favor such a bill and many of them will advocate it in their speeches during the campaign now opening.

It is said that the "insurgent" senators believe they can force the house of representatives into line on number of these propositions by blocking other legislation and holding the records of certain members pu to public view.

WOMAN LEAPS TO DEATH

CINCINNATI, O., July 31.—An unknown woman leaped to her death from Central bridge into the Ohio river this morning. She stood on the railing laughing at a boy who was vassing, then reading a varse called "Ambition," jumved as she finished.

WITH THE CROWDS AT QUEBEC



Crowds surrounding Chamberlain's monument at Quebec to do honor to its worthy founder.

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SOCIETY

WEDDING OF MISS HARRISON AND DR. SHEGATARO MORIKUBO

The marriage of Miss Mildred Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon A. Harrison, and Dr. Shegataro Morikubo took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 620 South Seventh street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. H. Vance, assisted by Rev. J. R. A. Hanna of Epworth, Ind., foster father of the groom. The Lohengrin wedding march was played by Mrs. L. B. Raymond as the bridal party entered the room and took their places under a canopy of lace festooned with ferns and smilax and banked with palms and ferns. Miss Maud Loveland was maid of honor and Mr. Walter E. Peck of Galesburg, best man. The bride looked lovely in a dainty and becoming princess gown of cream Messaline silk trimmed with Irish point lace and embroidery. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and white sweet peas. Sweet peas were also becomingly arranged in her hair. The maid of honor wore pink silk mull and carried pink and white carnations. Mrs. Harrison, mother of the bride, wore a handsome princess gown of French organdie, trimmed with Chinese hand embroidery and val lace. The decorations throughout the house were white and green, the color scheme being carried out with ferns, lilies, bride's roses and carnations.

Mrs. B. S. Steadwell had charge of the dining room. Her assistants were the Misses Helen and Ruth Vance, Susan Trane and Clara Kellogg. Miss Mable Loveland served frappe assisted by Miss Ella Peterson.

Dr. and Mrs. Morikubo left on the evening train for the Dells, where they will spend a week after which they will return to this city and remain awhile before going to Davenport where the doctor has a number of patients. The bride is an agreeable and accomplished young woman and has made for herself many friends since her residence in this city. The groom is a native of Tokio, Japan, and has been a student in a number of universities and colleges. He has been a resident of this country for twelve years and has resided in this city two years.

The out of town guests were Rev. and Mrs. J. R. A. Hanner of Epworth, Ind.; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Benadon of Davenport, Ia.; Mrs. D. F. Deaderick of Utica, N. Y., mother of Mrs. Harrison; Mrs. Charles D. Potts of St. Louis, sister of Mrs. Harrison; Mrs. Jane Pitney of Chicago, and Mr. Walter E. Peck of Galesburg, Ill.

BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. H. S. Burroughs entertained at three tables of bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of a number of out-of-town guests. The prizes were taken by Mrs. W. G. Moss, Miss Jessie McMillan of Chicago and Mrs. Buck of McGregor.

WEDDED AT PINE CREEK.

Miss Grace Schlabach and Adolph G. Boemmels were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Pine Creek, Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. G. Boemmels of Montrose, Minn., who is a brother of the groom.

The couple was attended by Miss Lydia Boemels, a sister of the groom, and George Schlabach a brother of the bride. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Schlabach, well known residents of Pine Creek. She formerly taught school in the Hammer district in Hokah township. The groom is a well known young man of Lisbon, N. D., where the couple will make their home.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Mr. T. H. Spence has returned from a month's stay at Atlantic City. Mrs. Spence did not return with him but remained with friends, near New York.

Mrs. Robert Kneble and four children of Sioux City, Ia., are guests of Mrs. Eliza Kneble.

Mrs. W. R. Montague and children have returned from a two weeks' stay at West Salem.

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PERSONALS

Afternoon and moonlight excursion on Steamer J. S., Saturday, Aug. 1st. Afternoon, 3 to 6 p. m. Moonlight, 8 to 11:30 p. m. Fare, gentlemen, 50c; ladies, 25c.

Mrs. W. S. Cargill is spending a few days with friends at Clinton, Ia.

Mrs. Alfred Johnson of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ann Erickson and friends.

Mrs. C. L. Buck of McGregor, Ia., is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Ida Wolfe of Appleton, Wis., is here the guest of her brother, W. F. Wolfe.

Mrs. Hendricson of West Salem is here visiting at the home of Judge L. Kleeber.

Excellent Carriage Line. Phone 179 Gateway City Transfer Line.

Mrs. J. C. Palmer has returned to her home in Gordon, Neb. She has fully recovered from the effects of an operation performed at a local hospital.

Miss Katherine O'Boyle of Ridgeway is visiting in the city.

Roy Jorris of Spring Valley, who has been visiting relatives in the city, returned to his home Monday afternoon.

Miss Ella Morstad, a nurse at the Lutheran hospital, is the guest of relatives at Quandahl, Iowa.

Do not fail to attend one of the excursions on the Steamer J. S., Aug. 1st or 2nd.

Lawrence Haefner is spending the summer with his son at South Ridge.

Frank Selke of South Ridge spent a day in the city the forepart of the week.

Anna Dahlke is visiting with relatives at South Ridge.

C. E. Boynton was a business visitor from Mound Prairie Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whalen visited with relatives at Lansing Sunday.

The Misses Higgins are visiting with H. Martin and family at Lansing this week.

35 cent family excursion to Lansing Wednesday Aug. 5th, on Steamer Rutledge. Leaves La Crosse at 9:30 a. m. Arrives home 7:30 p. m. Three hours' stop at Lansing.

Miss Meta Jones and brother Norman of Alma are visiting relatives and friends in the city this week.

Misses Almina and Nellie Wise are visiting with friends in the city. They return to their home in Viroqua this week.

J. O. and Martin Anderson were La Crosse business visitors this week.

Mrs. George Hanson of Cashton was in the city on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Thompson visited with friends at Cashton this week.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

H. O. Hanson camped near Cashton for the past few days.

Mr. S. A. Nevins attended the picnic of the city officials at Trempealau bay yesterday.

Mrs. Adolph Prochnow of Wilton was the guest of friends in the city for a few days in the first of the week.

Go on Steamer J. S. excursions, Aug. 1st and 2nd.

Misses Rose and Julia Higgins are the guests of friends and relatives at New Albin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Searseth and Mrs. Bell Spencer were in the city from Galesville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tibbets of Galesville were in La Crosse yesterday.

L. N. Hammer and J. H. Dale of Galesville were business visitors in La Crosse Wednesday

Joseph Boschert has returned from an extended trip through South Dakota.

Miss Amy Moss of Milwaukee is a guest of her brother, W. G. Moss of this city.

Miss Mary Bradburn of Preston is a guest of friends in La Cross for a few days.

W. S. Beck of Indianapolis is in the city looking over his real estate and business interests.

Miss Alma Olson has gone to Tamah, where she will visit with friends.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Miss Sara A. Boland of Seneca is spending a few days in La Crosse visiting relatives.

Miss Lucy Coehn of Chicago is a guest of relatives in La Crosse.

Miss Ella Leonard has returned to her home in Milwaukee, after spending a short time in La Crosse with friends.

Lydia Selke of La Crosse is visiting relatives in the city.

Afternoon excursion to Winona on Steamer J. S., Sunday, Aug. 2nd. Leaves 3 p. m. Returns 10 p. m. Fare only 50c.

H. S. Bowen and wife of Florida are the guests of La Crosse friends for a short time.

R. S. Melough of Portage is spending a few days in the city renewing acquaintances.

C. H. Meyers of Milwaukee is a business caller in the city for a few days.

A. G. Grouscough of Chaseburg is spending a few days in the city with business acquaintances.

J. Lampert of Brownsville is renewing olda cquaintances in the city this week.

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CITY OFFICIALS HAVE A FINE TIME

CITY FATHERS AND GUESTS AT ROSE COTTAGE.

TWO BALL GAMES PLAYED

Principal Features Prove Meals and Refreshments Afforded the Guests.

The fifth annual outing and pleasure trip of the city officials held at Trempealeau Bay yesterday proved to be one of the best outings, in every respect, that the officials have ever held. Everything was a success, the weather was ideal and facilities excellent. Not an accident marred the day of recreation, and from the start at shortly after 8 o'clock in the morning until the return late last evening it was one glorious celebration.

The merry crowd of aldermen, officials, ex-officials and visitors congregated at the Burlington depot at shortly before 8 o'clock and even before the train pulled in the merriment was started. Numbering thirty-five the city fathers boarded the train and started their journey to the scene of the outing at Trempealeau Bay. At Grand Crossing a number of the North Side members of the official family joined the merry party. The trip to the bay was taken up mostly with tales of previous outings. A few who announced that they intended to spend part of the day with the rod, joined in with fish stories, and advice was given by those who were not afraid of the water. Through preliminary arrangements the train came to a halt at the bridge at the bay, where the party were met by Alderman Walter Rose and his assistant, O. Walter Hesley. After a hearty welcome the party was escorted to Villa Rose by trail over prairies, ragged rocks and high fences. After about fifteen minutes of walking over cliffs the Rose cottage was reached and Hon. George B. Rose took the stump and in behalf of his sons gave a brief address of welcome, apologizing that he was unable to turn over the key to the cottage, because it was never locked to his La Crosse friends.

"The place is now in your hands and have the time of your life. If you don't see what you want, ask for it."

Mayor Wendall A. Anderson in behalf of the officials responded.

Settle to the Sport.

After yanking off coats, collars and every other "street necessity" every one settled down for a "time." Refreshments and a light luncheon was served immediately, after which the ball game between the press was announced. The game was played on the grounds of the St. Johns summer camp and, of course, resulted in a victory for the Tribune over the Gelatt paper.

Tribune Wins, of Course.

The Tribune team was composed of Comptroller William Fries as catcher, George Falk and A. J. Roberge pitcher and first base, Otto Mueller left field, Carl Foerster third base, Aldermen Houska second base, O. Walter Hesley short and Alderman Palmer in the field.

With Eddie H. Hoffman at the head the Gelatt team was composed of B. Roellig and Frisch, batteries; John Langdon first base, Arenz second, Lang third, Humbolt fielder and Bradish short. Health Officer Murphy also assisted in the field. The Gelatt's started out like demons but failed to last long. The Tribune kept a steady gait and after nine innings had been played the score stood something like 11 to 8 in favor of the "Getting Better All the Time" team. Alderman Bedessen officiated at the indicator and it was evident from the start that he had been "bought," but after the city clerk arrived the decisions were somewhat better and the Tribunes were able to get a fair deal from the indicator. The Gelattites had a "holler comin'" after the game, and claimed that Alderman Lang had been purchased by the Tribune. Owing to the fact that Alderman Lang swore he had never been to a ball game in his life the complaint was not sustained.

The Gelatts started a rally in the last inning but, of course, it fell flat, as the Tribunes settled down and easily ended the attempted rally.

Dinner at Cottage.

After the ball game the trip was made back to the cottage, where dinner was waiting for the hungry stars of the diamond.

Chef F. Guenther and his corps of assistants "blew" themselves and a hearty dinner was in order. Dinner took up considerable time and it was not until Fries and Seger, for the officials, had challenged the aldermen that the bunch could be taken from the dinner table.

Officials' Game.

The official game of the city fathers served to be a feature of the day. Although the aldermen started out in grand style and found Pitcher Roberge of the officials easily, running up a score of seven in the first inning, they grew tired toward the end and in the eighth inning, after repeated threats to the umpire, the game was called. The umpire announced the score 9 to 0 in favor of the Aldermen, but the scorer's record showed that the city officials had won by a score of 16 to 15.

For the Aldermen Gus Keller played a star game, accepting nineteen chances at the first sack with but two errors. Marvin, of the North Side, proved to be effective at the bat, getting three of the fifteen scores. For the Officials Roberge in the pitchers' box did good work, barring the first, third and eighth innings. Attorney Doherty, in the field, played in the "Daddy" Cahill style while Frisch at short stop reminded the party of the opening of the training season when "Whitewings" was trying out for a place with "Pink." Fries, behind the bat, played like Erickson of Wausau, and won considerable applause, especially when he went after the foul tips.

Trouble With Umpires.

W. Webb, the tonsorial artist, officiated at the indicator for the first few innings, but had to give it up because of the hot sun that poured down on the players. Al Wolf then took the indicator and umpired something like Bush. Alderman Keller took the role of Ferguson and only by the timely interference of Robarge was a disreputable scene averted.

The lineup for the game follows: Officials—Robarge, p; Fries, c; Frisch, ss; Langdon, 1b; Sieger, 2b; Mueller, 3b; Bradish, rf; Falk, lf; Doherty, cf.

Aldermen—Foerster, c; Roellig, p; Keller, 1b; Jojade, ss; Houska, 2b; Marvin, 3b; Bedessem, rf; Schnell, rf; Muenzenberger, cf.

Score:	R	H	E
Officials .....1031721*—	16	21	13
Aldermen . . .71000124—	15	17	9

Fish Supper

Following the game the party returned to the cottage, where every one made themselves comfortable with the bait and other attractions. Those who were not ball enthusiasts or players were returning from trips through the wilderness and on the river. Superintendent J. P. Bird and Harry Palmer were the rod experts of the crowd, arriving in a short time with a beautiful speckled species. Supper was then announced and it was a supper. A fish fry was in order and Chef Guenther lived up to his reputation. Pike, bass and channel cat were placed before the hungry multitude and the chef received orders to start several more "pans." This was kept up for some time and after every one was full, pipes and tobacco were taken out and the "tales" began and did not end until nearly train time. A quartet composed of Fries, Langdon, O. Walter and Alderman Palmer furnished music that was reluctantly endured.

The trip to the train, while as boisterous as the first, was finished without accident and until the train arrived the quartet held the boards, in spite of the others.

The party returned on the Burlington limited at 10:30 with every one tired after a day of great sport.

The Rose cottage which is situated on the Bay facing Trempealeau Mountain is in one of the most picturesque spots along the Mississippi river. The cottage is built on the side of the bluff facing the lake and from the enclosed screened porch presents a beautiful view of the county and lake. Walter Rose and O. Walter Hosly proved to be the best possible hosts and an excellent time was enjoyed by all attending the "fifth annual."

The following is a list of those who attended: Mayor Anderson, J. M. Sieger, Joseph J. Frisch, George W. Young, W. J. Fries, A. J. Roberge, George Falk, George P. Bradish, Otto Mueller, Charles M. Jarvis, G. A. Keller, H. A. Palmer, Joseph Houska, John Arenz, Fred Schnell, George B. Marvin, A. Murphy, John F. Doherty, C. S. Snyder, W. B. Rose, George Bedessem, C. F. Lang, L. W. Jojade, Peter Muenzenberger, John E. Langdon, Prof. J. P. Bird, Carl Ahrenz, Carl Foerster, C. L. Lien, William P. Roellig, George B. Rose, Sr., A. C. Wolfe, R. Humbolt, Sylvester Nevins, Wallter Hosley, A. P. Clark, W. Webb and Ed H. Hoffman.

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Hawks, with a number of other boys, was swimming at the foot of Whittaker street when the Island Queen passed. Suddenly the youth sank below the surfoce of the water. His associates carried him to the shore. A number of small bird shot were imbedded in his face.

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Coren's 8c bleached muslin also an unbleached, specially priced by us for this sale, yard

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800 yards 32 in. percales, in all the range of colorings, mostly called for, they are put up at the mill in ends. The 10c goods

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500 yards fine embroidered Swiss white grounds, with small figures, a fabric to retail at 17c, this lot, yard

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1c

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5c

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700 dozen laces bought at a price to clean up, some are slightly soiled, 150 doz. to go 1c yard,

12c Dozen

300 doz. extra fine qualities, 12 and 15c values, yard

5c

Muslin Underwear

Corset covers, **19c, 25c, 50c.**
Skirts, Lace and embroidery trimmed, **50c, 75c, 89c, $1.00.**
Gowns, **50c, 75c, 89c, $1.00 up.**
These are all big values bought for this sale.

Ribbons

4 in. silk taffeta ribbon, good hair width, at 15c for

10c

4 in. warranted all pure silk taffeta, very high grade, in every wanted shade, yard

15c

5½ in. heavy all silk taffeta, same as above only, very wide, a big value, for 25 or 29c, this lot

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Secured about 15 dizen the finest grades of rushing that wouuld sell at 5c yard, the neckpiece

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Also a lot of the cheaper rushing will offer them 2 pieces for **5c.**

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White Jap silk waists, bought at a big reduction, short sleeve, lace trimmed, sold in the regular way $3.50 each. This lot

$1.89

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Secured fine assortment of white lawn waists, short sleeve, embroidery trimmed front, a $1.00 value

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Made of fine batiste in chic designs, nicely trimmed, a $1.00 value

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Ladies' fine gauze Vest Lace trimmed neck, sleeveless, 15c,

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We received a most remarkable lot of the very best skirts made in America and to see them will convince that they are a bargain. A e English mixture, light weight, made up in the up to minute style, workmanship the very best. This garment was made to retail at $7.50; we offer them

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Lot of boys' Balbriggan Drawers, sizes 24, 26, 24. Coren's price 25c goods for

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Union Suits

Ladies' fine lisle thread Union Suit, umbrella Drawers. Garment

50c

Ladies' lisle Vest lace trimmed. One of the very best in the market

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Hosiery Dept.

Lot of 25 dozen Children's Black Hose, 1x1, 2x1 Ribb; all sizes, 5 to 8, odd to end. Coren's price 25 and 35. Qualities to clean them up. Pair

12½c

Children's Hose

8 dozen Children's Tan Hose. Bought to clean up a lot. Sizes 7 to 9 1-2. 15c values. Pair

9c

Children' Hose

Lot of Children's pink, blue and white lisle thread Hose, 6 to 9 1-2. Coen's 25 and 35c. To close the lot, pair

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Ladies' Hose

10 dozen ladies' 50c emb. and lace black and white. Some of Mr. Coen's best 50c values. This lot, goes, pair

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White Wash Belts

5 boxes white embroidered linen in a variety of styles, pearl buckles, washable eyelets and detachable buckles. The real Tub Belt. Coren's prices 50c and 75c Belts

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Farms and Manufacturing Centers Want Men, but Railways Have Deferred Improvements

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune.
WASHINGTON, D. C., 30, 1908.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

Some signs of returning prosperity can be detected at the division of information of the immigration bureau, of which Terence V. Powderly is chief. One excellent symptom is seen in the steady demand for farm labor. Demand for help in the manufacturing industries is increasing. This cannot be said as to the railroads. For obvious reasons, it is likely the return of a brisk demand for armies of men in the work of making railway improvements is likely to be deferred for some months. In the mining fields, the demand for men is beginning to pick up.

All over the country, from New England and New York to California, comes a demand for men who will settle down with their families on the farms. In the last six months, Mr. Powderly's division has located over a thousand families on the farms. These families have been living in undesirable conditions in the big centers of population, New York, and elsewhere. It is going to be the aim of the division from now on to get as many people as possible to go to the farms. This is a favorite idea of President Roosevelt, who has repeatedly spoken out against the tendency of population to congest in the great cities. The families who are being sent to the farms and located thereon permanently come from all countries nearly of Europe. They are from both Northern and Southern Europe. Few are from the British Islands as the immigrant that comes to this country from that part of Europe generally knows where he wants to go and has his destination defined before starting for America. Besides, at this time, scarcely any immigrants are coming from the British Islands.

Plans to Populate the South.

The division has developed new plans for populating the south. For a time, much was heard of diverting Italian and other Southern European immigration from the northern ports to those of the south. Now, the division of information is working hard to send to the south farmers from the northern part of the United States and also to send there Scandinavians and like hardy peoples from Northern Europe. It is found that one of the most desirable additions that can be made to a southern farming community is a good northern farmer who has the energy to cultivate his land about as he would do it in a northern latitude. The efforts of the government officials to get the lands in the south occupied by thrifty farmers are likely to have considerable effect in cutting down the immigration of American farmers in the upper half of the Mississippi valley to Canada.

Harvest Help Needed.

From the northwest, from such states as the Dakotas, Minnesota and the wheat country, come demands for harvest help. According to reports, North Dakota alone needs 30,000 men to take care of the wheat crop. For once, Kansas is not sending up her usual cry for help, in the wheat fields. At any rate, nothing is being done from here to supply the demand for harvest help. Mr. Powderly does not want to locate men unless he locates them permanently. To send thousands of aliens to the northwest and then have them going adrift in a month or so would be of serious consequences.

The fact that the tide of immigration is still flowing toward Europe makes the work of the division of information lighter than it would be otherwise. Nevertheless, Mr. Powderly and his aides think the inrush will not be long delayed, probably not much after the presidential election, and they are organized much better than ever to give aid to those looking for places.

Will not Tackle Servant Girl Problem.

One problem Mr. Powderly says he is letting severely alone is the servant girl problem. Early after the division was established, Mr. Powderly, became convinced this was too gigantic a proposition to attempt to solve. Just now, there are scarcely any young women coming to this country to enter domestic service, At any rate, such as do come will not be diverted from the cities. The demand for good servant girls seems to be increasing and unquestionably is far in excess of the supply. The immigrant girls who is capable finds she is able to earn good wages on almost her own terms in the cities and any attempt of Uncle Sam to have her do otherwise is found to be utterly useless.

AUGUST WILL BE PLEASANT MONTH

IF PAST RECORD CAN BE TAKEN AS INDICATION.

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE 70

Cloudy Days Are Few in Records of the Weather Bureau and Rain Was Only Normal.

The following data, covering a period of thirty-five years, have been compiled from the weather bureau records at La Crosse, Wis. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed, during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for the coming month.

Temperature.

Mean or normal temperature, 70 degrees.

The warmest month was that of 1881, with an average of 75 degrees.

The coldest month was that of 1885, with an average of 66 degrees.

The highest temperature was 101 degrees on August 8, 1894.

The lowest temperature was 39 degrees on August 28, 1891.

The earliest date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn was September 21, 1889.

Average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn was October 10.

Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, April 30.

The latest date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, June 23, 1886.

Precipitation (Rain or Melted Snow)

Average for the month, 3.57 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, nine.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 8.36 inches in 1903.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.35 inches in 1894.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any twenty-four consecutive hours was 4.25 inches on July 8, 1889.

Clouds and Weather.

Average number of clear days, 12; partly cloudy days, 13; cloudy days, 6.

Wind.

The prevailing winds are from the south.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 5.9 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind was 50 miles from the northwest on 11th, 1907.

BERNARD RIGGS CO.

This clever organization will present the comedy with music, "The College Boy," at the La Crosse theatre, Sunday, Aug. 2.

DOES EDUCATION ADVANCE CRIME

(Washington Times.)

In the present day spread of education, of the habit of reading and inferring, inducing and projecting, it is perhaps not remarkable that crime should share in the general advancement. But if, as asserted, there were 152 murders in one city alone—Philadelphia—in the year ended on April 1, in only fifty-eight of which cases an arrest was made, it would appear that life in a large city is on an insecure footing, at least, as the result of more careful planning or execution, or more effective concealment of crime, or all three.

Some Few Escaped.—"Oh, John," whimpered the wife as she seized the morning paper, "see what that editor has done with the account of our musicale. He has placed it alongside the column of death notices. It's a shame. And we had such prominent people as guests, too." "I suppose," said the husband wearily, "that the editor wished to call attention to the fact that some people are more fortunate than others."—The Bohemian.



We Have
Special—
Spring Ducks
Spring Chickens
Spring Lamb
and Last Year's Hens

City Market D. JEHLEN, JR. 121 S. Third St.

TRIBUNE WANTS

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish position, few weeks completes, constant practice, careful instruction, tools given. Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Experienced Tinners. Badger Steel Roofing & Corrg. Co., 7th and LaX. St.

WANTED—Canvassers, experienced preferred. Fabric Implement Co., 810 Farnam St., La Crosse. Wis.

WANTED—Yardman at the Northwestern Hotel.

WANTED—Men in the morning to shovel coal. Apply at Cargill's North Side sheds. Peter Hansen.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A cook, apply at Houseboat opposite city. Mrs. W. A. Thompson.

WANTED—Girl at 821 State St.

WANTED—A girl or woman in family of two, 1701 Market.

WANTED—A girl at Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Girl for general house work, 520 So. 4th.

WANTED—Experienced saleswomen for Ready-to-Wear Garments. Reiman & Tordt, 535 Main.

WANTED—Young girl for general housework. No washing or ironing, 1530 Main St.

WANTED—Girl to work for board, 215 S. 5ht.

WANTED—Neat girl for upper housework. Call 1431 King St. New phone, 148.

WANTED—Young lady collector. Address C. C. B., this office.

WANTED—Cook at 232 So. 8th St.

WANTED—Girl at La Crosse Hospital.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Mrs. James McCord, 237 So. 11th St.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—8 room house with barn on large lot. Also two cottages on large lot. Leaving city. 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—In Smith & Batchelder Addition one nice corner lot 50x150 to an alley; will sell cheap for cash if taken at once. Address P. 7, Tribune.

FOR SALE—144 Barnes iron foot power lath with chuck and tools, also small portable forge and anvil, and small wood lath and tools, at Cordell.

FOR SALE—120 acre farm one mile from city limits, 50 acres under cultivation, good well and spring and about 800 cords of hard wood ready to cut. Frank G. Roth, 4th & Pearl St. Price, $4,000.00.

FOR SALE—Set of engineering books. Complete with all the Scranton School Models, very cheap if taken at once. Apply at Tribune Office.

FOR SALE—Bay horse, four years old, well broken, single or double. Inquire P. H. Sheldon, Bangor.

FOR SALE—Cheap, red raspberries, price 75c for 24 pint case, or $1.00 for 16 qt case. Come and pick them. Bring boxes or buy here. F. I. Harris, La Crescent, Minn.

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Inquire at once 303 Main St.

FOR SALE—One six room house and one five room cottage on one lot. Good location, water and gas. Inquire at 607 N. 10th St.

FOR SALE—Farm 160 acres, improved farm, new buildings, stock, etc., 1¾ miles from Bangor. Running water in pasture. Inducing price and terms if taken at once. Inquire P H. Sheldon, Bangor.

FOR SALE—Horses, harnesses and buggies, at 127 N. 3rd, G. R. Hodge.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Address, B. F., care of Tribupne.

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property, 804 Cass St.

FOR SALE—Two walnut bedsteads and one cot, 1550 Prospect St.

FOR SALE—Second hand buggy. H. Juhl, 516 Kane St.

FOR SALE—Launch 28 ft. long, canopy top, 12 h. p. double engine, reversible clutch. Will sell cheap. Inquire Dr. Watterson, 115 So. 4th.

FOR SALE—The board of directors of West Salem Creamery Association wish to announce that they are now prepared to dispose of the creamery farm consisting of about 110 acres. For particulars inquire of J. H. Moran, Manager, West Salem, Wis.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished front room, modern, 611 So. 5th.

FOR RENT—Furnished modern front rooms, 609 So. 5th St.

FOR RENT—All kinds modern furnished rooms. Second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Modern 8 room house, city heat and fine location. Holway estate, new phone, 194-C.

Insurance

TORNADO INSURANCE—$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; $6.00 for 5 years. C. S. Van Auken, 328 Pearl St.

We haven't much respect for a woman whose greatest ambition is to control a hen-pecked man.

Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Physician & Surgeon

DR. A. E. ERLING, specializing in the treatment of chronic ailments. Up-to-date methods. Hours 10 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m. Old phone, office, 417 Vine St.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Batavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Stenographer

PUBLIC Stenography, 311 McMillan Bldg. Old phone, 5885; new phone, 452-A.

Nothing Like It

YOU can knock that awful cough and sore throat with H. W. Barker's Cough Remedy. Runckel's Drug Store.

Sewing

SEWING by the day, call at 423 Cass St.

A woman isn't necessarily industrious because she has a busy tongue.

Miscellaneous

WANTED—Position as nurse. Address A. L., care Tribune.

WANTED—Particular people to call up H. B. Buchda, for particular draying. Old phone, 6372; new phone, 394-C.

WANTED—House centrally located, modern, 6 to 8 rooms. Address J. E. Tordt, care Reiman & Tordt, 535 Main.

BRIGHTEN things up. First class nickel plating work at reasonable prices. The Vote-Berger Company, 1800 West Ave., South.

WANTED—Outdoor position by energetic young man. Address, 106 Tribune Office.

WANTED—Situation as night watchman by a trutworthy middle aged man. References furnished. Care 839, Tribune.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The West Salem Co-operative Creamery Association of the village of West Salem, La Crosse County, Wis., will receive sealed proposals for the erection and completion of a creamery building, according to plans and specifications, to be located in said village, up to 3 o'clock p. m. August 8, 1908.

The plans, details and specifications for the building are on file at the office of J. H. Moran, West Salem, Wis., and Schick & Roth, architects, La Crosse, Wis.

The association reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at West Salem, Wis., July 29, 1908.

WEST SALEM CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASSOCIATION.



HON. NEWTON W. GILBERT

The Hon. Newton W. Gilbert, who has just been named as a member of the Philippine commission at the instance of former secretary of state William H. Taft, is a product of Northern Indiana and owes his rapid rise in public life to his election as congressman from the Tfelwth district of his home state in 1904. For it was on his first trip to Washington that he met the genial secretary who took an immediate fancy to the newly elected congressman. In 1905, when the trip to the Philippines was planned, Congressmon Gilbert was invited to join the party. On that trip he and the secretary formed a friendship that has never since been broken and Mr. Taft has been the means of his last two ascensions in public life.

ELEVATOR CRUSHES MAN.

DULUTH, July 31—John Berguist, a painter, thirty-one years old and unmarried, was crushed to death in one of the elevator shafts of the Sellwood building. He was in the bottom of the shaft and got caught.

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

RAISBECK SON'S THEORY IS ACCIDENT

BUT WILL HIRE PRIVATE DETECTIVES TO INVESTIGATE.

THINKS IT FATHER'S WISH

Authorities Drop Matter—Mother Probably Fell From Boat, Father Attempted Rescue.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 31.—Percy Raisbeck arrived in Minneapolis yesterday from Chicago to make an attempt to solve the mystery of the violent death of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Raisbeck, whose bodies were found in Lake Sylvia, two miles from Annandale, Minn.

"I am going to hire private detectives," he said, "to sold this mystery. I know it would be my father's wish. If there was murder I am satisfied of my own conviction that it was committed by outsiders.

Before he left Chicago young Raisbeck received telegrams stating the coroner had directed his jury to bring in a verdict of drowning, despite the fact that physicians proved Mrs. Raisbeck could not have been drowned.

His Father's Hobby.

"It was father's hobby—fishing," said young Raisbeck. "He loved to cast for bass in the evening. Mother usually rowed the boat for him. My theory is that father caught a fish, and mother, in an effort to held him land it, toppled over into the water. Father, throwing off his coat, jumped in after her, and the bruises on her body doubtless came from his frantic attempts to save her.

"Mrs. Raisbeck is my stepmother. I have not known her as a mother, as I have been away from home almost constantly since the marriage. But I do know that she was a very lovely and lovable woman." Mr. Raisbeck left for Annandale yesterday afternoon.

Home Life Ideal.

At the Chicago Beach hotel, where the Raisbecks made their home, the clerk said that the family life of Raisbeck and his young wife seemed ideal, according to a dispatch from Chicago.

"They occupied apartments next to mine," he said. "I never heard a voice raised."

The bodies have been prepared for burial in accordance with instructions of young Raisbeck. They will probably be taken to New York for interment.

No New Developments.

ANNANDALE, Minn., July 31.—There are no new developments in the Raisbeck drowning case, and it never will be known whether George Raisbeck and his wife were accidentally drowned or that a quarrel and tragedy ended their lives. The most plausible theory advanced is that in changing about in the boat Mrs. Raisbeck lost her balance and fell out of the boat and that her husband jumped into the water to save her and both were drowned. The fact that the fishing tackle was found intact in the boat, that there was no wind at the time, and that the boat was right side up, confirms this theory, but it also confirms the theory that the woman might have been choked or struck and had been thrown into the water. The fact that no water was found in the lungs of Mrs. Raisbeck seems to uphold the murder theory. Percy Raisbeck arrived from Chicago this morning to take the remains of his father and stepmother home. He declares that there was no difference between the two and that if they met a violent death it was from some outside source. He believes that his stepmother fell out of the boat and that in trying to rescue her his father was drowned.

The officials here have about decided to drop the matter, as they believe nothing will ever be known as to the cause of their deaths.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

IOWA FALLS, Iowa—Another farmers elevator company has just been organized in this county and an elevator to be conducted and controlled by the farmers of the central part of the country will be built at Owasa.

CORSICA, S. D.—An election will be held at this place on Friday, Aug. 7, to vote on the question of issuing bonds to the amount of $2,000 for the purpose of erecting an addition to the city school building.

WATERLOO, Iowa—The midsummer assembly for pastors of Lutheran churches in this part of the state has opened for a two days' session. A score of pastors prominent in this denomination are in attendance at the meetings, which are being held in the First Evangelcal Lutheran church recently completed. It is a practical summer school for the ministers.

AITKIN, Minn.—Burglars entered the dwelling of Samuel Hoelgedius, but were frightened away after they had secured a small amount of money.

IOWA FALLS, Iowa—A unanimous call has been extended by the Congregational church at Eldora to Rev W. G. Ramsey of Winthrop, Ia., to become the pastor of the church, succeeding Rev. C. C. Warner, who recently resigned to accept a call to Crookston, Minn.

CORONER' JURY TODAY GIVES UP MYSTERY

(Continued from Page One.)

quarter of a mile west of where Miss Drtw was last seen by Mr. Gunderman and Mr. Smith the Rollmans saw a girl. Mrs. Rollman remarked to her husband that such a pretty girl ought no t to be alone on the road at that hour. The girl was standing near the side of the road picking berries. After they had driven along for some distance Mrs. Rollman looked back and saw the girl still standing in the same place. "My! but that girl is having a good time with those berries," said Mrs. Rollman to her husband. The incident was recalled when they read the accounts of Hazel Drew's death. Mrs. Rollman's description of the girl tallies with that of Hazel. Miss Mary Robinson, who lives near the Drew family in this city, saw Hazel at the station Monday, July 6, and the girl told her she was going to New York.

Then she hurried out to take a local train to Albany. Of her movements from that time until her suit case was checked Tuesday afternoon at the Troy railway station the authorities know little. The possibility that she may have spent Fonday night in Albany caused an investigation to be made there, but without results. Peter Chipperly, a resident of Snyder's Lake, thinks he saw Miss Drew in company with a young man of dark complexion in a trolley car going from Albia to Averill park about 3 o'clock on July 7. Chipperly did not know Miss Drew, but his description of the girl he saw on the car makes the authorities think it may have been her. It is claimed that Hazel Drew was the victim of two attempts at assault in Troy two years ago, according to a statement of Mrs. Mina Jones, a friend of Miss Drew's. The assailant was the same person in both instances and was described by Miss Drew as an Armenian or an Italian. On both occasions he was beaten off by the young woman.



WILLIAM POWERS

County Attorney Prominent in the Search for Hazel Drew's Murderer.

Who is the Dentist?

Frs. Jones told today some of the details of her acquaintance with the Drew girl, both while living in Troy, about three years ago, and subsequently. Mrs. Jones said that Hazel often made reference to a friend who worked in a dentist's office in Troy, but never mentioned his name.

Mrs. Jones said one day she asked the girl: "Who is your fellow?" The reply was evasive except that he worked in a dentist's office.

Had Been Assaulted.

Mrs. Jones said Hazel told her an Armenian or Italian had attempted to assault her at night and she had hit him over the head with an umbrella.

A short time after the attempt, Mrs. Jones says, she was told by Hazel that the same person passed her at a lonely place, proceeded to the front of the house where she was employed, and there made a second attempt to assault her, but was again beaten off.

In letters received after she left Troy, Miss Drew indicated that the fellow had bothered her several times afterward. These letters, Mrs. Jones said, she destroyed when she removed from Providence to Waterville last spring.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Jones speak in unqualified praise of the Drew girl's character.



COUNTY DETECTIVE D. KAYE

Who Was Actively Engaged in the Search for Hazel Drew's Murderer.

MARKET PERSONALS.

Henry Koethe of Brownsville marketed a load of hay in town yesterday.

Louis Koch was in from the town of Shelby with a load of hay which he sold on the local market.

Joseph Miller of La Crosse Ridge brought in a nice load of hay yesterday.

Jacob Weimer of Smith's Coulee sold a load of oats on the local market.

George Shaffer of State Road Coulee was in with a load of hay Thursday.

Herman Roessler of Mormon Coulee marketed a load of hay in the city yesterday.

James Gellespie of Pine Creek brought in a load of hay from his farm.

Ed Doyle of Brownsville was in with a load of hay yesterday morning.

William Miller brought in a load of hay from his farm in Mormon Coulee.

John Paul Miller, a well-known farmer residing near Brownsville, has purchased the Jennings farm in Rose Valley for a consideration of $10,000. The farm is 240 acres and one of the best in that vicinity.

John Leitzo of Hokah brought in a load of hay from his farm Thursday.

The man who is best contented in life is the one who saves his enthusiasm for himself.

QUICKLY LINE UP FOR LAND.

CASS LAKE, July 31.—Notice from Washington was received here of the land to be opened up for homestead entry under the homestead law on September 15 next.

The news spread rapidly over the village and in less than thirty minutes after the word reached here there were several who had lined up in front of the United States land office building. At 5 o'clock there were between twenty-five and thirty. Mr. Lewis from Chisholm has No. 1.

The notices states there will be 46,226 acres to be opened on this date, being portions of the former Cass Lake of the Mississippi, Fond du Lac, Leech Lake, Red Lake and Winnibigoshish Indian reservations, and including lands classified from the national forest by the act of May 23, 1908, and lands from which the pine timber has been cut and removed.

TRAVELERS SEEK REFORMS.

WATERLOO, Iowa, July 31.—The Commercial Travelers Congress of Iowa was permanently organized in this city at a meeting held in the Irving hotel. This is the first order of the kind in the United States, but the movement promises to spread throughout the union. The congress is a banding together of the several traveling men's associations of the state for the purpose of securing legislation to make the way of the knights of the grip more pleasant. Theo rganizer of the congress is C. R. Rohde of Waterloo. The following officers will manage the order during the year: President, B. M. Cleveland, Waterloo; vice president, L. Roth, Cedar Rapids; secretary and treasurer, C. R. Rohde, of Waterloo.

BIG SAW MILL TO OPEN.

CROOKSTON, Minn., July 31.—Ten million feet of logs are on their way down to Red Lake river and Crookston is promised the opening of the Crookston Lumber company's big mill again here which has been closed in the sawing department this year. Three million feet of this drive is destined for the Crookston mill and a few more millions will be on their way later to add to this. One million feet of logs are now on hand here. The drive is at present at Red Lake Falls, and will be here in ten days. The lumber is selected from the best cuts on the Red lakes and has been on the way here for the last five weeks from the headwaters of the Red Lake river.

MAKE PARK AT FT. SULLY.

PIERRE, S. D., July 31.—Doane Robinson, secretary of the state historical society, has through his efforts, seconded by those of C. C. Bennett of this city, had the site of old Fort Sully, about two miles down the river from the city, deeded to the state. The deed comes from William J. Roadman for four acres, and carries with it a provision that it be made a public park. Fort Sully stood at that point for several years before it was removed to the location further up the river about 40 yeas ago.

MAYOS GIVE CITY A PARK.

ROCHESTER, Minn., July 31—At a meeting of the city council President Heintz of the park board presented the city of Rochester with deeds for the property located at the corner of Liberty and Zumbro streets, the property to be used for park purposes. Also did he inform the council that the Drs. Mayo had deposited with the park board $5,000 in cash to be used to repair the damages to the Mayo park. This makes the second contribution that the doctors have made toward rebuilding and replacing the grounds in Mayo park.

MITCHELL, S. D.—A contractor of this city is making the plans and specifications for a new water works system for the town of Platte, in Charles Mix county. The power for the system will be secured by the erection of a seventy-foot tower and a tank, and a thorough system of mains will be installed. The cost of the plant when completed will be about $18,000 or $20,000, bonds for which have been voted.

When you find the truth in your way you may be sure you are on the wrong road.

DAILY MARKETS

Foreign Markets

Poultry, Dairy, Etc.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Poultry, firm.

Butter, 22c.

Eggs, 25 to 26c.

Cheese, 12 1-4 to 13 1-4c.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Julyy 31.—Cattle, 1,500; steady; beeves, $5.60 to $7.80; stockers, $2.50 to $4.50.

Hogs, 10,000; 15 to 20c higher; light, $6.15 to $6.90; heavy, $6.60 to $7.05; pigs, $5.45 to $6.25.

Sheep, 7,000; strong, 10c higher; natives, -2.75 to $4.80; lambs, $4.50 to $6.85.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, July 31.—Cattle, 2,000; steady; steers, $4.00 to $7.25; stockers, $3.00 to $4.75.

Hogs—5,000; 5 to 15c higher; bulk, $6.60 to $6.80; pigs, $5.00 to $5.60.

Sheep—2,000; steady; muttons, $4.00 to $4.60.

New York Stocks.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Nearly all the speculative interests on the floor this morning centered in copper shares, Amalgamated advancing 1½ points and Anaconda, 1⅝ points. There was no special news except the improvement in the metal trade. There was considerable strength in Gould issues, Missouri Pacific advancing 1¼ and a fractional advance on M. K. & T. Baltimore and Ohio sold ex-dividend and opened up ⅝ but eased off later. American smelting became strong and advanced 1 point. The commission business was small. Government bonds unchanged; other bonds irregular.

(By Miner & Co.)

Chicago Markets.

		WHEAT		
July	90⅜	90¾	89¼	89⅜
Sept	91	91½	90	90¼
Dec.	93	93¼	92¼	92⅜
May	96¾	97⅛	96⅛	96⅛
		CORN		
July	76¾	77⅞	76	77
Sept	74⅞	75	74	74⅛
Dec.	61⅞	62⅜	61¾	61¾
May	61¼	61⅞	61	61¼
		OATS		
July	55	55	51	51
Sept	45	45⅛	44	44
Dec.	45	45⅛	44	44
May	46¼	46¾	45⅝	45¾
		PORK		
Sept	15.90	16.00	15.75	15.75
Oct.	15.95	16.05	15.82	15.85

TODAY'S GRAIN GOSSIP

Logan & Bryan—This country cannot stand much lowering of the spring wheat harvest by black rust without creating sentiment in favor of much higher prices.

Ware Leland—The undertone of wheat is strong enough to make us believe that higher prices will be witnessed.

Finley Barrel Co.—We would not care to be short of wheat but think it might be well to accept profits on any further upturn with a view of getting in again on the reaction which would naturally follow.

Bartlett Patten Co.—Dry weather being reported in a number of districts and at this season the corn trade is inclined to anticipate a crop scare.

Liverpool opening—Wheat, ⅛d to ¼d higher; corn unchanged.

1 p. m.—Wheat, unchanged; corn, ⅜d lower.

Chicago—There is considerable wheat for sale this morning; Finley Barrel have sold 500,000 bu; Chapin, 250,000 bu.

Hogs.

Hogs opening—Estimated today, 10,000; left over, 3,511; prospects 5 to -0c higher; light, $6.05 to $6.85; mixed, $6.15 to $6.90; heavy, $6.15 to $6.95; rough, $6.15 to $6.35. Cattle, 1,500; prospects steady. Sheep, 5,000; prospects steady.

Hogs, 9 a. m.—Today, 10,000; left over, 3,511; estimated tomorrow, 10,000; market 10 to 20c higher; bulk, $6.45 to $6.76; light, $6.15 to $6.90; mixed, $6.25 to $6.25; good to choice heavy, $6.45 to $7.05. Cattle, 1,500; steady. Sheep, 6,000; strong.

Hog close—Estimated today 10,000; for tomorrow 10,000; market strong, mostly 20c higher. Closing, light, $6.20 to $6.95; mixed, $6.25 to $7.05; heavy, $6.25 to $7.07 1-2; rough, $6.25 to $6.50. Cattle, estimated, 1,500; steady. Sheep, estimated 6,000; steady.

Total Clearances.

Wheat, 65,000.
Flour, 15,000 bbls.
Corn, 1,000.
Oats, 4,000.
Wheat and flour, 134,000.

Primary Movement.

WHEAT—
Today—1,046,000; 798,000.
Last week—1,094,000; 634,000.
Last year—968,000; 537,000.
CORN—
Today—360,000; 314,000.
Last week—287,000; 399,000.
Last year—353,000; 634,000.
OATS—
Today—478,000; 319,000.
Last year—262,000; 281,000.

Estimated Cars.

Wheat, 206.
Corn, 132.
Oats, 130.
Hogs, 10,000.

Estimated Worlds Shipts. for Monday

Wheat—About 3,800,000 bushels, exclusive of North America, of which Europe will take about 2,400,000. Total last week were 5,296,000, and a year ago 8,032,000.

Bradstreets Exports.

Wheat and flour, this week, 2,605,998; previous yeek, 2,530,000; last year, 2,739,000.

Corn, this week, 15,000; previous week, 7,000; last year, 1,608,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

A few changes are shown in the local market today. Langdon and Boyd quotations show changes in all livestock prices and also in the provision and poultry prices. A. B. Moll vegetables also show a few changes in the price list. No variations of any importance are looked for tomorrow.

RETAIL

Flour

(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.60
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.55

Vegetables

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)

Summer squash 5c
Young carrots, per bunch..2 for 5c
Young beets, per bunch ....2 for 5c
Eggs, strictly fresh 22c
Creamery butter, per pound.....28c
Dairy, per pound 25c
Parsley, per bunch 5c
New cabbage, each .....5@8c
Potatoes, per bushel $1.00
Carrots, per peck 15c
Wax beans, pound 5c
Beets, per peck 20c
Cucumbers, each 2c
Lettuce, 2 bunches for 5c
Green peppers, dozen 30c
Turnips, peck 15c
Fresh tomatoes, pound 8c
Fresh mushrooms 75c
Pineapples, each 15c
Egg plant, each 15c
Green peas, peck 35c
Cantaloupes 10c
Peaches, dozen 15c
Apricots, dozen 10c
California cherries, lb. 25c
Watermelons .....25@30c
Blackberries 15c
Red raspberries 15c
Blueberries 15c
Green corn, per doz 12½c
Blackberries, quart 15c

Fish

(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)

Pickerel 8c
Pike, pound 15c
White 15c
Trout, pound 15c
Salmon 15c
Herring .....4@5c
Halibut 15c
Perch 6c

Fruits

(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)

Cucumbers, per dozen 20c
Bananas, per dozen 20c
Oranges, seedlings. per doz 40c
Lemons, per dozen ... ...30@40c
Pineapples, each .....10@15c
Cocoanuts, each .....5@10c
Cabbage, per head .....5@10c
Blueberries 15c
Plms, basket 50c
Elberta peaches, basket ...30@40c
Black Bemis 15c

WHOLESALE

Fruits

(Quoted by J. C. Burns ..

New potatoes, bushel 80c
Old potatoes 90c
Bananas, per bunch ..$1.75@2.50
Med Sweets .....$3.50@$4.50
Lemons, 360 size box $5.50
Lemons, 300 size box $6.00
Cabbage, per crate $2.25
Pineapples, per crate ..$3.00@4.00
Cocoanuts, per crate $4.50
California prunes $1.50
Plums .....$1.25@$1.50
California Cherries ....$1.00@1.50
Tomatoes, crate .....75c@$1.00
New carrots .....50c@$1.50
Elb. peaches, 4 basket $1.00
Elb. peaches. 6 baskets $2.00
Grapes, crate .....$2.75@$3.00
Watermelons .....30c@35c
Peaches, bushel $3.00
Cantaloupes, crate $3.00

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by tht Listman Milling Co.)

Patent (per bbl. in sacks) $6.40
Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.60
Straight, per bbl. in sacks....$6.20
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.55

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton $23.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)
Shorts, per ton $24.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)
White middlings, per ton ...$25.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)
Red Dog, per ton $27.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)

Cheese

(Quoted by Henry Andregg.)

Full cream brick, pound....10@12c
Full cream Twin, pound....13@16c
Full cream, Limburger, lb...11@14c
Round Swiss .....13@16c
German hand, per box 90c
Primost ... .9@12c

Grain.

(Quoted by A. Grams & Son.)

Winter wheat .....80@85c
Spring wheat 90c
Barley .....65@70c
Oats .....45@50c
Rye .....60@65c
Corn .....60@65c

Livestock.

(By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs .....$5.25@$5.75
Steers .....$2.50@$3.50
Heifers .....$2.00@$2.75
Cows .....$1.50@$2.50
Lambs .....$4.00@$4.50
Sheep .....$2.50@$3.00

Poultry.

Old chickens .....7@8c
Spring chickens, lb .....10@12c
Turkeys, pound .....10@12c
Ducks 9c
Geese 8c

Provisions.

Lard, fierce, per pound ..10@10½c
Hams .....13½@14½
Shoulders 9½c
Bacon .....14@15½c
Dry Beef .....19@20c

Butter and Eggs.

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound 24c
Dairy, per pound .....18@20c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 20c
Eggs, second 16c

Hay and Wood

(Quoted by City Scales.)

Hay, wild, per ton .....$8@9
Hay, tame, per ton ....$9.00@10.00
Straw, ton $6.00
Bottom wood, cord ....$4.50@6.00
Second growth, oak ..$4.50@6.00
Pine wood $5.50
Dry wood cord $6.00
Old oak .....$5.00@6.50

Millions of words have been written to drive away worry, though nothing is worth much but forgetfulness.

WISCONSIN NEWS

CONTRACTS LET FOR CAPITOL CHIMNEY

CHICAGO COMPANY WILL BUILD BIG FLUE TOWER.

BITTER'S DESIGNS ACCEPTED

No Action Taken on Milwaukee Allegorical Pictures by Commission Because Illness of Vilas.

MADISON, Wis., July 31.—The state capitol commission awarded a contract to the Alphonse Custodis Chimney Construction company of Chicago for building the 254 foot chimney on the separate heating and power plant for the new state capitol. The contract carries $17,000. There were five bidders. The chimney will tower 254 feet in the air and will have a flue of ten foot diameter. The base of the chimney will be square, twenty feet on a side. The chimney proper will be round. It will be built of radio brick and is to be finished by November 1.

May Go to New York.

The commission opened bids for electric fixtures for the new west wing of the capitol, which is nearing completion and which will be used by the legislature next winter. Five bids were submitted, ranging from $30,000 to $45,000. The lowest was submitted by the Mitchell-Vance Electric company of New York City.

The commission accepted the design submitted by Sculptor Karl Bitter of New York City for the pediment of the east wing. Mr. Bitter designed the model for the west wing, which will soon be carved, and will design models for the two remaining wings. He receives $15,000 apiece for them. The principal figures of the design of the pediment for the east wing represent Liberty, Justice and Truth, and the allegorical details have reference to the fact that this wing of the capitol will be occupied by the executive and judicial branches of the state government.

Owing to the illness of Col. W. F. Vilas, one of its members, the commission did not take any action regarding the painting of pictures for the supreme court chambers. The artist employed to do this work, F. D. Millet, of New York City, will return to Madison later and submit subjects for the paintings and discuss the matter with the commission. By that time it is hoped that Col. Vilas will have recovered sufficiently to participate in the conference.

PRETTY SCHOOL TEACHER DROWNS

RICE LAKE, Wis., July 31.—Miss Clara McNown, a teacher in the manual training school here, engaged a rowboat and went out alone on the lake. The boat liveryman warned her that it looked like a storm and not to be out late. Her reply was:

"Never mind, if I am not back by 9, I will be in a safe place."

This morning the empty boat was found near the east shore right side up.

As nothing has been heard from Miss McNown, and she was to have been on duty at 9 this morning, suicide or accidental drowning is suspected.

Miss McNown recently came here from Eau Claire. Her home was in Mauston. Search is being made for the body.

If you are dissatisfied with your religion because it does not make you happy, ask first whether you make any one else happy.

HIXON FAILS TO QUALIFY; GETS CUP

GEORGE W. BURTON MAKES A GOOD SCORE

KENOSHA GOLFERS IN LEAD

Championship of State is Almost Sure to Go to the South Shore Club

KENOSHA, Wis., July 31.—J. M. Hixon of La Crosse failed to qualify for the state golf championship. The new cup, called the New Era, went to Mr. Hixon.

The invincible Kenosha golfers are in the lead for the state championship. Of the eight who remain in match play for the title, five are from the local club, the three Pettits, Chester D. Barnes and W. H. Yule. G. F. Metcalf of Milwaukee, G. A. Morse of Janesville and Champion Jacobs are the others in the race. Hamilton Vose of Milwaukee failed for the first time in his life to qualify, and J. M. Hixon of La Crosse, another crack, was his partner in misery. Kenosha qualified nine of the sixteen who made the championship flight. Dick Cavanaugh, former champion, took the low score cup at 76 in his qualifying round, doing the course in five strokes better than Champion Frank Jacobs, his nearest competitor. The low score cup at Kenosha four years ago went to an 84, shot in a rainstorm. Cavanaugh, however, was defeated in his first round of match play by Fred Pettit, also a former state champion. The consolation cup for medal play handicap, competitive to those who failed to qualify in any flight, went to F. M. Wooton of Madison, who did a gross 90, handicap 12, net 78. The next score was C. S. Stevens of Sheboygan, whose net was 80, on a gross 94.

A new cup, to be called the New Era, donated at a directors' meeting Wednesday night, went to J. M. Hixon of La Crosse, with a score of 86, handicap 2, net 84; J. H. Dwight, Racine, was next in the running, with on 89, 4, 85. This cup was offered as a result of the decision of the directors to bar all players with a handicap of 2 or less from competition for second flight cup, and all of 6 or under from competition on the third flight. The new cup was offered to give those barred from match play by this condition, some trophy to play for.

The scores of the top flight players follow:

R. P. Cavanaugh (K)	37	39	76
F. W. Jacobs (Ma.)	36	45	81
M. H. Pettit (K)	40	42	82
C. D. Barnes (K)	41	42	83
Fred Pettit (K)	43	40	83
G. F. Metcalf (M)	41	41	83
W. H. Yule (K)	43	42	85
G. A. Morse (J)	43	43	86
A. Schaller (J)	43	44	87
C. C. Allen (K)	43	44	87
D. S. Basche (G)	42	45	87
Gordon Yule (K)	43	45	88
B. M. Pettit (K)	46	42	88
G. W. Burton (L)	45	43	88
H. D. Plimpton (B M)	45	43	88
S. D. Wyatt (F)	44	44	88
G. H. Ripley (K)	40	48	88

On the playoff, one of the six 88 cards to drop out, all but Mr. Burton and Pettit were safe at the first hole. These two played off at the second hole and Burton dropped out of the flight.

Scores below the American championship flight follow:

Harold Wyatt (F)	89
A. W. Yule (K)	89
Hamilton Vose (M)	89
A. J. Lunt (R)	89
M. Kehlor (R)	90
A. A. Guilbert (R)	90



Interesting Group of Independence Party Leaders in Front of the Auditorium at Chicago.

Reading from left to right the group includes John Temple Graves of Georgia, presidential aspirant; Harry Colton of New York, L. F. Broberg of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; J. H. Rogers, Ottumwa, Iowa; Col. S. B. Boynton and J. Frank.

SAVE MOMEY!

For the next 30 days I will make the following low prices on your Dental work:

The best 22k gold crown	$5.00
The best porcelain crown	$5.00
Gold fillings	$1.50 and up
Gold and platina filling	$1.00
Porcelain fillings	$1.00
The best upper or lower set of teeth	$10.00

Teeth extracted free when you order new teeth.

All work is done WITHOUT PAIN by my own original method, which I have been using for the past 15 years. All work is guaranteed for 10 years.

EXAMINATION FREE.

DR. WATTERSON

The Painless Dentist. 115 South Fourth Street.

Sell every bill of goods so conscientiously and honestly that you can look your customer in the eye and ask him to come again.
WM. DOERFLINGER.

Men's 10c Bandannas 5c
Men's fast color turkey red bandanna Handkerchiefs, 18 inches square, the best 10c values ever sold in America. Special for Saturday at 5c
Main Floor

If You Can't Come Order by Mail or Telephone to the Store.

A Different Store — The House of Stability
DOERFLINGER
LEADING LA CROSSE STORE.

Mail Orders Filled Carefully and Promptly.

PATENT MEDICINES
SPECIAL SATURDAY
Cascarets, 25c box for 19c
Doan's Kidney Pills 39c
MAIN FLOOR.

THE SUMMER COMFORT STORE.

Those merry whirling fans which dot the ceilings and send breeze, and wafted coolness throughout the store seem to beckon one in off the streets these warm July days. Shop here in the summer comfort store. An airy, spacious store, wide aisles, high ceilings, many windows, whirling fans and tons of fresh air being pumped into the basement from high over the roof. Pure sparkling artesian water; and, by the way, have you ever lunched in our cool and cosy "Cafenet?" Cool, restful and "comfy" here. We serve dainty, wholesome lunches, ice cream, soda and Sundaes, with quick and quiet service. An inviting domain, indeed, on torrid summer days; suppose you lunch at the Cafenet tomorow.

Two Big Special Sales of Summer Oxfords
Men's and Women's



Women's $3.50 Oxfords $2.45
Women's "Queen Quality" Oxfords in patent colt, blucher, lace and button styles, extension soles, Goodyear welt sewed, military heels, sold at $3.50. Special Saturday only ... $2.45

Men's $4.00 Oxfords $2.89
Men's Oxfords in patents, gun metal and vici kid stock, from our regular lines, which retailed at $3.50 and $4.00, built in button, blucher and lace styles. Special at $2.89

Last Day of the Picture!
Your Last Chance to View that Marvelous Painting. The Exhibition Ends on Saturday Night.
We especially invite you and the members of your family to visit the store tomorrow and see H. de Mareau's wonderful painting.
"THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH"
A splendid exhibition of this masterpiece in our store auditorium, second floor. You are most cordially invited to see this great painting. Store hours for viewing picture Saturday 8 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR Underpriced
Main Floor.



Men's Balbriggan Underwear, pearl buttons, collarette neck on shirts. Drawers, double seated and supporting tapes, etc. 50c values for 33c
Men's Athletic Union Suits, low neck and sleeveless, regular $1.00 value, for 83c

A Magnetic Trio Of Saturday
Economy Basem't Specials
Lonsdale Cambric, full yard wide, per yard 10c
Women's fast black Hose, per pair 7½c
Men's Half-Hose, with white feet, per pair. 12c

A "GOLD MEDAL" COOK BOOK FREE
Tomorrow with every order of Groceries. See the books in a Main Street Window.

GREAT VALUES HERE SATURDAY!
ROUSING BARGAINS AND QUICK SERVICE:
EVERYTHING FOR THE SUNDAY OUTINGS---FOR THE VACATIONIST, AND FOR THE STAY-AT-HOME.

Great, Generous values—offerings you'll find hard to resist once you see 'em. Thousands of marvelous bargains await the Saturday shopper. This is the unburdening season with stores, and as the days pass by the prices drop, altho the value in the merchandise—to you—still remains. If you're off for a half-holiday tomorrow this store can serve you best. FOR THIS IS THE SERVICE STORE. It is our business to serve as well as to sell. If you are over particular in the merchandise you choose, THIS IS THE MERCHANDISE STORE. We are specialists in particular merchandising.

A SALE OF MEN'S SUMMER SUITS
THAT'S "A HUMMER!"
MEN'S SWAGGER $6 OUTING SUITS $3.98
2nd Floor.



Who ever heard of a stylish high grade Outing Suit for $3.98? They are are not made for that; it cost that much, and more to buy the cloth, but Doerflinger's has them right here in stock. The same suits from the same maker have been sold in town at $10. They have been sold here at $6.00. They are worth that, and probably a trifle more. Now we have secured a manufacturer's surplus for less than the fabrics cost from which the suits are made. We are going to sell them to you tomorrow for less money than the ordinary retail stores can buy them at. There are not a hundred suits in the lot, so we would advise those who want one of these splendid cool handsome outing suits at less than the cost of the material, to come early for his. We believe every one of these suits will be sold before "sun down." They are two piece suits, consisting of coat and pants only. The coat half lined, shoulders properly padded, and have hair cloth fronts. They come in light gray colorings, neat indistinct stripes and checks. Pants are made in peg top styles with belt loops and wide cuffs—suspender buttons sewed inside the waist band. The best $6.00 values ever offered in La Crosse, choice tomorrow while they last at $3.98

$10.00 Blue Serge Suits $6.98
In tomorrow's remarkable clothing sale, we shall include all of our remaining men's $10.00 outing suits. Coats half lined, with shoulders nicely padded and strictly all wool blue serge, best regular $10.00 value in the city, extra special at $6.98

Men's 75c Straw Hats at 39c
A grand round-up and clean up of Men's straw hats, embracing an assortment including 49, 59 and 75c values, three popular styles, choice for 39c

$14.00 Outing Suits $8.85.
In tomorrow's sale, we shall offer all of our $14.00 all wool outing suits in neat check patterns, correct cut and built in finest workmanship, a strictly high-grade suit, regular $14.00 value, extra special at $8.85

Boys' Khaki Shirts 49c.
Well made shirts, of sturdy khaki cloth, made in excellent workmanship, each shirt has two pockets, finished sleeves and pearl buttons. Every seam double stitched, special Saturday. 49c

LAST DAY OF THAT REMARKABLE SALE OF
WOMEN'S SHIRT WAISTS
WORTH $1.50, FOR
59c
OR TWO FOR $1.00—BETTER TAKE TWO OR MORE.
—SECOND FLOOR SALONS.



Buy two waists for less than the price of one, all sizes—wonderful choosing. Choice among hundreds of beautiful white Lawn and Lingerie Waists, all new and handsome, priced less than the embroidery or lace on them is worth.

$1.50 Waists 59 Cents or 2 For $1.00

THAT GREAT SALE OF TOWELS CONTINUES "SATURDAY"
15x30 inch huck towels, with pretty colored borders, best regular 7c values ever shown in La Crosse, just the towel for the kitchen, the barber shop, or for a hand-bath—Housewives, Restaurant Managers and Hotel Men, should lay in a bountiful supply—Hundreds bought them today but there's still over a hundred dozen left for Saturday buyers—all perfect, in a big sale at the Towel Shop on Main Floor for
4 Cents Each

SATURDAY GROCERY SPECIALS

Sugar—Best granulated, 9½ lbs. for	50c
Chocolate—Regal brand, fine baking, ½ lb. cake for	15c
Uneeda Biscuit—Two packages for	9c
Lemons—Fancy large California Lemons, per doz.	27c
Olives—Fancy large queen, per quart	30c
Pickles—Fancy sweet mixed per quart	19c
Apricots—Fancy new evaporated, per pound	15c
Prunes—Large California, 50 to 60 size, extra fancy, 3 lbs. for	25c
Root Beer—Park brand, 10c bottle for	5c
Baked Beans—Van Camp's No. 2 can for	13c
Cheese—MacLaren's Imperial, club size, per jar	9c
Ginger Snaps—Fresh baked, per pound	7½c
Egg-O-See—Breakfast food, two packages for	15c
Cheese—White Cloud, New York, 1907 make, per lb.	19c
Tapioca—Fancy pearl, per pound	6c
Mustard—Park brand, 16 oz. jar for	11c
Olive Oil—"Star of Italy" brand, guaranteed absolutely pure under any chemical analysis, quart can for	75c
Coffee—Caraja brand, it's all coffee, 1 lb. can for	25c
Pickling Spices—Fancy mixed, ½ lb. for	11c
Paraffine Wax—Pure refined, per cake	8½c
Vinegar—Pure cider, per gallon	17c
Mustard Seed—Fancy yellow, per lb.	15c
Cocoanut—Fresh shredded, bulk, per lb.	15c
Pillsbury's "Vitas"—Strictly fresh, per package	12c

FREE!
Given Away Tomorrow with Every Order of Groceries!
We will give—absolutely FREE on Saturday, with each order of groceries, large or small, a valuable 72 page "GOLD MEDAL" COOK BOOK containing hundreds of choice household and cooking recipes. The book is 11x8 inches in size with stiff board covers and is a beauty. See them in a Main St. window—then get one FREE with your grocery order tomorrow in the Doerflinger Basement Grocery—"Where Purity is Paramount."

Cigars At Cut Prices
Get the "Over-Sunday" Smokers
Special Saturday only Cremo Cigars 3c
Fan-Ros Cigars, 7 for 25c
Main Floor

HAS SCHULTE GONE TO CLEVELAND?

RACINE, Wis., July 31.—Did George N. Fratt, cashied of the First National bank, receive a letter from John Schulte, paying teller and alleged defaulter in the sum of $15,000? Report says that he did and that the letter was dated Cleveland, Ohio, and mailed Wednesday noon, July 29, and that in the note Schulte admits that he lost money in wheat deals. Mr. Fratt, when seen, refused to give any information, stating that he had nothing new to give the public, but he refused to admit or deny that such a letter came.

Friends Loaned Money.

United States Marshal Well came here armed with a warrant for the arrest of Schulte, sworn out in the United States court at Milwaukee by Bank Examiner Mortens. It leaked out today that for more than three years Schulte had been speculating, borrowing money from friends; that he got in the hole for over $1,000 and perhaps took money of the bank to pay this indebtedness and could not replace it.

Officers of the bank believe that the speculations of the paying teller did not amount to over $3,000 or $4,000 up to the time of the discovery, that he entered the vault just previous to leaving and took packages containing between $10,000 and $12,000 and had that amount when he fled.

The claim that a letter was received from Cleveland explodes the theory that Schulte went to Milwaukee and took the boat to Michigan. Before he left here he called at the postoffice and left orders to mail matter arriving for him from Cleveland back to that city. One letter came and was remailed back as directed.

May Commit Suicide.

Unconfirmed reports are made that Schulte was heavily interested in oil stocks and land interests in the west. None of his relatives have received a single word from him since he left the city. Those who know his disposition believe that he will make away with himself.

It was stated that the relatives and friends of Schulte stand ready to make good the $15,000 shortage, in case the accused man is not prosecuted.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

BELOIT—The action of the state of Wisconsin against the Croak Brewery company of Janesville was dismissed in municipal court because it was learned that the concern is not incorporated. This was one of the breweries charged with contributing to the last municipal campaign.

RHINELANDER—Machines No. 1 and 2 of the Rhinelander Paper company are shut down indefinitely as a result of a disagreement between the local branch of International Brotherhood of Papermakers and Night Foreman Coyle of the paper company.

NEENAH—While observing a thermometer which he was holding in the direct rays of the hot sun, Otto Smith, a young man in the town of Neenah, had his eyes badly cut when the thermometer tube containing the mercury burst, due to the excessive heat.

CHIPPEWA FALLS—John Swanson of Chetek drowned in the Red Cedar river at Colfax when his boat went over the dam.

WASHBURN—Washburn and Bayfield will join in the celebration of labor day in this city this year and it will be one of the biggest celebrations that has been held on Crequamegon bay in years. A large amount of money has been raised for the event.

CHIPPEWA FALLS—The two months that the Chipewa Valley Light & Power company has been trying to run its cars between this city and Eau Claire by power from Menomonie have demonstrated that it was impracticable.

WAUKESHA — Mayor M. W. Glenn's automobile was partially destroyed by fire and Gus Schonwalder, foreman at the Glenn spring, who was running the machine, had a narrow escape from being seriously burned.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Thomas P. Colby has been appointed postmaster at Easton, Adams county, vice Alice A. Henry, resigned.

A woman never attempts to hide her jealousy under a bushel.